

P.O.#4,

Richmond, Ky.
Nov. 1st, 1918.

My dear Mrs. South,

I vote for the substitute convention as stated in Mrs. Leach's resolution. If no other business is transacted (And I think none other should be introduced) the substitute convention would have a majority in the members in Louisville, and would not require the attendance of any members outside except the Resident.

It would help if we could get out the annual report of the last convention and the Board meetings.

Yes; I vote to help the Louisiana suffragists. I do not know what amount we have in the treasury; but you can count my vote in the affirmative upto one hundred dollars.

Very sincerely yours,



"SALUTE AND GO TO IT!"



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You should send to us at once, for the use of our Publicity Department, every fact and item that can be used in any connection with your name as part of a "story" to go with the announcement of your speaking dates. You should let us have your photograph also.

And please do not be modest about this for it is not for your sake so much as for the sake of the Campaign. Publicity is the only way to get our message to the people - - either the spoken or the written word, and we wish to use both as much as possible. We must use both to the very fullest extent possible.

If we have your answer to this letter by the first of next week, with your photograph, we can get an attractive announcement in the local paper of the county where you will be assigned to speak, and at the same time, if you would give us a brief statement of what this Campaign means for our boys and for our country, we could publish that in connection.

Please do not wait on this but do it now, and if public health conditions hold against all through, you will have done your part in this way, which will help more than you may imagine.

Yours very truly,

Benedict Elder
Executive Sec'y., Speakers Bureau.

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"OVER THERE"



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STATE CAMPAIGN ORGANIZATION BY DISTRICTS

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1.	PADUCAH.	W. F. BRADSHAW, Jr., Paducah.	T. B. SPORING, Paducah. E. T. MCBIRNEY, Newport.	\$81,252.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Fulton, \$9,157.50; Hickman, \$3,829.50; Graves, \$11,988.00; McCracken, \$34,965.00; Calloway, \$5,161.50; Marshall, \$2,997.00; Livingston, \$2,997.00.		Carlisle, \$3,496.50; Ballard, \$4,995.00; Carter, \$2,997.00; Lyon, \$1,665.00;	
2.	HENDERSON.	D. W. GATLIN, Madisonville.	E. J. WARMS, Henderson. Asst., VICTOR SPALDING, Uniontown.	\$71,500.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Caldwell, \$6,500.00; Crittenden, \$6,000.00; Henderson, \$23,300.00; Hopkins, \$16,600.00; Union, \$9,300.00; Webster, \$9,800.00.			
3.	OWENSBORO.	LEE BIRK, Owensboro.	NEWTON PARRISH, Owensboro. Asst., J. S. RODMAN, Owensboro.	\$61,940.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Davies, \$34,301.50; McLean, \$4,162.50; Ohio, \$4,495.50; Hancock, \$2,164.50; Breckenridge, \$5,994.00; Muhlenberg, \$10,822.50.			
4.	HOPKINSVILLE.	DOUGLAS GRAHAM, Pembroke.	EVERETTE S. SMITH, Hopkinsville. Asst., MRS. W. E. BACON, Hopkinsville.	\$38,962.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Christian, \$19,814.50; Logan, \$8,824.50; Todd, \$6,160.50; Trigg, \$4,162.50.			
5.	BOWLING GREEN.	GEN. E. H. WOODS, Pageville.	D. E. STEFFE, Bowling Green. Asst., SAM CRISTAL, Bowling Green.	\$50,418.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Butler, \$2,497.50; Warren, \$23,445.00; Simpson, \$3,496.50; Edmonson, \$832.50; Barren, \$12,654.00; Allen, \$2,664.00; Monroe, \$2,164.50; Metcalfe, \$1,332.00; Cumberland, \$1,332.00.			
6.	ELIZABETHTOWN.	JUDGE J. R. LAYMAN, Elizabethtown.	D. M. COOPER, Elizabethtown. Asst., R. M. HALL, Elizabethtown.	\$28,971.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Meade, \$1,498.50; Hardin, \$10,989.00; Bullitt, \$2,497.50; Grayson, \$4,662.00.		Hart, \$5,994.00; Larue, \$3,330.00;	
7.	LEBANON.	H. S. McELROY, Lebanon.	CLINTON DAVIDSON, 504 W. Main St., Louisville. Asst., H. W. RIVES, Lebanon.	\$34,465.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Nelson, \$9,657.00; Washington, \$5,494.50; Marion, \$8,824.50; Taylor, \$3,330.00; Green, \$1,665.00; Adair, \$1,831.50; Russell, \$832.50; Spencer, \$2,830.50.			
8.	DANVILLE.	DR. W. A. GANFIELD, Danville.	E. M. BABER, Danville. Asst., J. L. ISENBERG, Harrodsburg.	\$65,601.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Mercer, \$17,649.00; Boyle, \$18,814.50; Casey, \$2,331.00; Pulaski, \$10,323.00; Wayne, \$3,663.00; McCreary, \$1,498.50; Lincoln, \$9,823.50; Clinton, \$1,498.50.			
9.	LOUISVILLE.	WM. HEYBURN, Louisville.	E. S. WOOSLEY, Louisville.	\$577,985.00
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10.	SHELBYVILLE.	JOHN E. BROWN, Shelbyville.	P. C. EVERSOLE, 345 Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Louisville. Asst., MRS. MARY MEAD, Shelbyville.	\$52,114.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Oldham, \$4,995.50; Trimble, \$1,998.00; Owen, \$5,328.00; Gallatin, \$2,830.50; Shelby, \$16,650.00.		Henry, \$11,988.00; Carroll, \$8,824.50;	
11.	COVINGTON.	R. P. ERNST, First Nat. Bank Bldg., Cincinnati, O.	W. N. EWALD, Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Covington. Asst., W. A. RABE, 416 Emma St., Covington.	\$163,155.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Kenton, \$79,915.00; Campbell, \$53,769.00; Boone, \$11,488.50; Grant, \$9,657.00; Pendleton, \$8,325.00.			
12.	MAYSVILLE.	R. A. COCHRAN, Maysville.	C. A. SCHROETTER, 2025 Scott St., Covington. Asst., JOHN McAULIFF, Covington.	\$39,960.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Bracken, \$9,990.00; Robertson, \$2,331.00; Mason, \$25,807.50; Lewis, \$1,831.50.			
13.	PARIS.	H. A. POWER, Paris.	Z. L. WILCOX, Paris. Asst., BARNETT WINTERS, Paris.	\$72,937.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Harrison, \$15,651.00; Nicholas, \$6,993.00; Fleming, \$11,988.00; Bourbon, \$38,305.00.			
14.	LEXINGTON.	S. FRENCH HOGE, Frankfort.	D. C. CRUISE, Lexington. M. W. SHEFFIELD, Frankfort.	\$179,331.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Franklin, \$28,309.50; Scott, \$16,650.00; Fayette, \$88,414.50; Woodford, \$21,649.00; Anderson, \$8,491.50; Jessamine, \$15,817.50.			
15.	WINCHESTER.	JUDGE J. N. BENTON, Winchester.	M. E. VAUGHN, Berea. Asst., MARK DONIVAN, Winchester.	\$43,623.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Clark, \$19,980.00; Estill, \$5,328.00; Powell, \$2,331.00; Montgomery, \$13,653.00; Lee, \$2,331.00.			
16.	RICHMOND.	DR. T. J. COATES, Richmond.	F. O. CLARK, Berea. Asst., R. J. MCKEE, Richmond.	\$41,458.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Madison, \$26,473.50; Rockcastle, \$3,496.50; Jackson, \$1,498.50; Owsley, \$999.00; Garrard, \$8,991.00.			
17.	PINEVILLE.	WHITE L. MOSS, Pineville.	W. A. ADAMS, Williamsburg. Bell, \$17,149.50; Knox, \$5,827.50;	\$48,118.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Laurel, \$4,162.50; Whitley, \$9,990.00; Clay, \$1,831.50; Harlan, \$9,157.50.			
18.	HAZARD.	R. D. BAKER, Hazard.	C. M. SUMMERS, Jackson. Asst., N. L. DUNCAN, Hazard.	\$25,308.00
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Letcher, \$6,327.00; Breathitt, \$5,994.00; Perry, \$8,325.00; Leslie, \$333.00; Wolfe, \$1,332.00; Morgan, \$2,331.00; Knott, \$666.00.			
19.	ASHLAND.	DR. S. P. FETTER, Ashland.	L. F. ZERFOSS, Ashland. Asst., I. EDLESON, Ashland.	\$64,102.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Boyd, \$37,795.50; Lawrence, \$4,329.00; Johnson, \$7,659.00; Martin, \$666.00; Magoffin, \$1,332.00; Floyd, \$4,162.50; Pike, \$8,158.50.			
20.	RUSSELL.	DR. J. WATTS STOVALL, Grayson.	JUDGE W. J. HAMPTON, Ashland.	\$19,147.50
	COUNTIES AND QUOTAS—Carter, \$5,661.00; Greenup, \$3,663.00; Bath, \$7,825.50; Rowan, \$1,332.00; Menifee, \$666.00.			
	STUDENTS, Louisville.	PROF. C. R. MELCHER, State University, Lexington.	D. H. LYON, Men. MISS HELEN BECKER, Women.	\$20,000.00
	BOYS, Louisville.	JUDGE E. S. JOUETT, Louisville.	C. C. CAMDEN, Louisville.	\$150,000.00
	GIRLS, Louisville.	MRS. MORRIS BELKNAP, Louisville.	MISS MARY PARKER, Louisville.	\$150,000.00
	COLORED, Louisville.	REV. W. J. WALLS, Louisville.	C. L. HARRIS, 920 West Chestnut St., Louisville.	\$30,000.00

Nov.6th, 1918.

189 N.Mill St. Lexington, Ky.

Mr.Benedict Elder,

Louisville, Ky.

Dear Sir,

Your circular letter to "Thirty Minute " speakers of United War Work Campaign, dated Nov.1st, reached me too late to send the material asked for the first of the week.

However, I am now sending a photograph under another cover; and the last newspaper matter I have used, which I hope may be what you desire. I have spoken in several of the patriotic drives, but have no newspaper items of them to send.

Though today I am in Lexington, please send any further communications to Richmond, Ky. R.R.#4.

Respectfully yours,

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November 9th, 1918

DEAR CO-WORKER:

As I said in my letter in the Times-Democrat the day following the election, I offer my hand in sympathy to the women of the rest of the State who have been deprived of their rights thru the autocracy of the reigning powers of New Orleans.

I was positive we would win, and have been so convinced, as many of you know, since the National political condition was created which made it necessary, in order that the Democratic Party should win in 1920, that the women of the United States be enfranchised before that date.

When every big man in the National Administration came out for suffrage - When the Governor and our Senators and all the Congressmen except Mr. Garland Dupre followed suit; when Mr. Ewing, the State National Committeeman, threw the influence of his National position and his two news-papers - it seemed to me beyond human belief that Mayor Behrman would dare to put himself against such a force and it was upon that foundation I built my conviction we would win. Never have I seen the old proverb "Whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad" better illustrated, for pressure was brought from the highest circles to bear upon Mr. Behrman; but, just as I said, the fear of the vote of the REPUTABLE women of this city so obsessed him that he defied every obligation to his party, the request of the party leaders, the demand of the white women to be raised to the level of the negro - Every appeal, every person was disdained in the arrogant surety that his bidding would be carried out by the animated payroll of the City of New Orleans.

But there is no use crying over spilt milk. We have learned much. We have the measure of the opposition.

If it had been under different circumstances and the country vote could have been gotten out, we would have won. What we have to do now is to start our plans IMMEDIATELY in order to be ready for the 1920 election, and maybe a Constitutional Convention, or a special election before 1920.

As I said we learned in New Orleans and I guess it was true in the country, that thousands of men could not vote because they did not have their two poll-taxes for the two years preceding the year in which the election is held - for instance: to vote last Tuesday a voter had to have his poll taxes for 1916 and 1917. If he only had 1917 and 1918 he was disqualified. Most people have the idea that two years poll tax is the only requisite - they do not understand that the poll tax must be for two years BEFORE the YEAR in which the election is held. Now, to my point: In order that the men of Louisiana may vote for Governor and Members of the Legislature in January 1920 they must have their polltaxes for 1918 and 1919. The poll tax of 1920 will not avail, and it is just this misunderstanding - this deliberately encouraged misunderstanding by the powers that be in control, that thousands and thousands of votexx of good, but thoughtless men are lost to the side of good government.

Between now and December 31st, 1918 the women of this State must see that every man who has not paid his poll tax pays it and the only way to be sure that it is paid is to go after the dollar, get the poll tax and bring it to the man. You can not rely on their promise to go and get it. They promise in the best of faith but what to them seems bigger things fill their minds and they forget until too late. There were dozens of man in New Orleans last Tuesday that felt like whipped curs when they found themselves on the same side with the Ring, for the man who failed to vote helped the Ring.

Here in New Orleans we join the Mens Poll Tax League. The men have not the time to do this work, they have not the money to pay to have it done. There are hundreds of women who will take a block in the business section and work it in this way: Go into each office, asking to see the MANAGER of the store or office - Talk the necessity of every man having his poll tax paid. Ask this Manager if HE will ascertain how many men in his employ have paid - how many have not paid. Will he give the name and address, and advance the dollar for each employee, charging it against the man's account. Decide upon the day when you will return for this list and the money. Go to the office of Poll Tax Collector, secure the poll tax and TAKE IT BACK TO THIS EMPLOYER, securing a receipt. If this is done all over the state, then there is some sense in holding campaigns and enthusing men, for when they are enthused they have the weapon with which to carry out their enthusiasm;

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but what in the name of common sense is the use of a campaign when men are powerless to vote because they cannot comply with the voting requirements? Of all the waste of time this is the greatest.

In New Orleans out of 43,600 registered voters only 19,000 thought enough of their American right to exercise it, and the general impression is many, many of them had not paid their poll taxes.

Now, will you undertake to get as many women in your parish as necessary to pledge to do this work before the last of the year? Find out from the head of your police jury what method is employed in the parishes. I can not instruct you in this, but let me know immediately if I can DEPEND upon Y O U for this work. If not, please say so DECIDEDLY, and if possible suggest the name of some woman you feel could and would attend to it. Without this poll tax being attended to there is no use of our attempting any campaign in 1920, for the City Ring will again be there to beat us, and worse than ever. We must also see that men are elected to the Legislature who are in favor of Woman Suffrage - the idea that any woman CONVERTS them is absolutely silly.

We must also have a Convention of the Louisiana State Woman Suffrage Association. I would suggest that it be held in New Orleans in January. Will you please let me know if the women of your parish will attend. (There must be a decision amongst the women as to what platform they are going to stand on - the securing the suffrage through the State or the Federal Amendment. Personally I cannot work for the Federal Amendment. The right of the Federal Government to supervise our state elections is so fraught with danger to the future of our Government that I refuse to have it on my conscience that I was in any way party to the consequences;) but there are many women who do not feel as I do - they are willing to take their chances that history will not repeat itself, and to those women I say they should join with those forces that are working for the Federal Amendment and work whole-hearted. This half way method of doing things never yet got any body or any cause anywhere.

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Please let me know the decision of your club, or if not organized what is the sentiment amongst the women of your parish to hold a convention in New Orleans in January. There must be another President and several officers selected.

I trust you will write openly and freely, giving me the benefit of any advice you have to offer.

I want to express my heartfelt thanks for the work you did for suffrage. It has not been lost. It helped you personally and it helped your state.

Most cordially yours,

JEAN M. GORDON

PRESIDENT

JG-cmr



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Your letter of recent date containing statement
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On account of the action of the State Board of
Health in not raising the ban, however, all of our plans
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of speakers throughout the State as we had intended, and
in fact had done.

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We had quite an array of talent, really the best
in the State, and if we had been able to use it would have
put on a resounding campaign. We must make the best of
circumstances and only hope for better luck next time.

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Thanking you for your interest and help throughout,
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P. S. As we could not use it, we are returning your photo
under separate cover. Thanks.

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Campaign Headquarters

November 16,

1918

Miss Laura Clay,
Richmond, Ky.

Dear Miss Clay:-

You received the circular advising of the conditions of the public health that prevented our using the very excellent speakers we had on our list as much as we intended and had planned.

In your case I wish to add this personal note of appreciation for your courtesy extended and your interest shown, and to express to you both the thanks of the Bureau and of myself.

With best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

Executive Sec'y., Speakers' Bureau.

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EN 21, 1918

NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.
171 Madison Avenue, New York City, N.Y.

BULLETIN NUMBER 32

Issued by

MRS. CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT.

SUBJECT:
STATUS FEDERAL AMENDMENT

November 16, 1918.

Congress has adjourned until December 2nd. We shall run counter to the revenue bill then which may sadly interfere with our program but we are still hopeful of a decisive vote before Christmas and our friends in the Senate are encouragingly optimistic of success.

We won one new vote in the recent election and now need only one more. It is rumored that three Senators have come over to our side, but we have not yet been able to confirm this report. In any event we have won votes enough to put us through the next Congress, should we be so unfortunate as to fail in this one and that is some comfort.

Although you may be reminded of the boy who called "wolf, wolf", we do beg all State presidents with Legislatures meeting this winter to prepare for ratification in January. If the Senate makes that impossible, Bulletin Number 34 presents a legislative program which will utilize all the preparedness you may arrange for the Federal Amendment. No effort will be lost. Every state which has a Legislature in session should score some victory this winter in any case and many victories will give the national impetus we need.

We, at this end of the line, have not yet relinquished our slogan, "a vote for every woman before the Presidential election in 1920", but it can only become a reality when and if the Congressional Committee shall secure the passage through the Senate in December and you the ratification during the winter of 1919.

With the three new stars on our suffrage banner at home, Michigan, South Dakota and Oklahoma; with France, Germany, Hungary, Bohemia and Sweden promising their women the same vote immediately American suffragists should make no pause, but march forward in such numbers and with such confidence, that every Legislature will recognize them as invincible and our cause inevitable.

Cheer up; we are almost there.

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Copy.

NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.
171 Madison Avenue, New York City, N.Y.

BULLETIN NUMBER 40

Issued by

MRS. STANLEY MC CORMICK AND MISS ESTHER OGDEN.

SUBJECT:
EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR HIS SUFFRAGE ADDRESS TO CONGRESS

November 21, 1918.

When Mrs. Catt and Dr. Shaw led a delegation of National Association members to the White House on October 4th, it was as you will remember, to present the thanks of our Association to President Wilson for his many recent efforts on our behalf and particularly for his speech to the Senate on September 28th.

To those who were present in the blue room on October 4th, it will always be a matter of regret that all members of the National Association could not have been present, for it was an occasion never to be forgotten by those who had the good fortune to be there. The occasion was remarkable because of what the President said - which remarks were, by request, not reported - and for Mrs. Catt and Dr. Shaw's words, and especially remarkable for the intimate and confidential spirit which animated the occasion.

Mrs. Catt began her most interesting though brief address to the President by the statement that two memorials would be offered him, one, a letter signed by Dr. Shaw and herself which she presented at once, and second, another more comprehensive memorial to be presented later on, which memorial would contain individual expressions of gratitude from the states themselves. It is concerning this second memorial - the really historical one - that we are writing you today. It is planned to make this memorial in the form of a book, worthy in binding, paper and print in which the President's Suffrage speech to the Senate together with the first memorial (the letter signed by Mrs. Catt and Dr. Shaw and presented to President Wilson on October 4th) will be printed and it may express their gratitude for President Wilson's many efforts on behalf of suffrage. These statements must be brief. They must not exceed 250 words in order to leave space at the bottom of the page for the signatures of not more than six of the officers of the State Association.

Please have these six signatures written by the individual officers in BLACK ink on a sheet of WHITE paper like the enclosed with the official title after each signature - as for exemple.

Elizabeth D. Robinson, President

Mary S. Adams, Secretary.

[Nov 21, 1915]

Bulletin Number 40
(Expression of Appreciation to the President)

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Have the signatures written on a separate sheet from the expression of appreciation and separated by at least an inch of space. These will be reproduced and will appear on the finished sheet of your memorial as original signatures.

Will you show your cooperation towards the "President's Book" by sending us as promptly as possible 250 words, or less, of thanks or gratitude which you wish your state to address to the President and which will stand historically in this permanent memorial. This expression from your State may be in any form you wish - a letter, a resolution, a quotation, or whatever seems to you fitting within the limit set. Variety in expression from ~~various states~~ the various States will naturally add interest to the book and redound to our credit as an Association.

We hope you will not delay our united expression to President Wilson by any individual procrastination in furnishing us your statement, and we notify you herewith that December 15th is the LAST DATE POSSIBLE for receiving this statement. If it is not in by that time YOUR STATE WILL NOT BE INCLUDED in the ~~per~~ permanent memorial.

Please mail your statement as soon as possible to the National Woman Suffrage Publishing Company, 171 Madison Avenue, New York.

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Copy.

Frankfort, Kentucky,
November Twenty-first,
Nineteen Eighteen.

Miss Laura Clay,
Richmond, Kentucky.

My dear Miss Laura:

Answers have been received from practically all of the County League Presidents expressing their opinion that the Convention should be postponed, and voting "Yes" on Mrs. Leech's resolution.

In compliance with the resolution offered by Mrs. Leech and adopted unanimously, I am calling the Executive Board to meet at Louisville on Monday, the 25th day of November at 2 P.M. at the Seelbach Hotel in order that we may call the Convention to order.

As no business is to be transacted, and as the meeting is to be adjourned at once, it will not be necessary for the Board members from a distance to make the trip to Louisville unless they so desire, as we have five members of the Board in Louisville. However, I shall be very glad if you find it possible to be present.

Very cordially yours,

Christine Druepley Smith

President.

Encl.

Frankfort, Kentucky,
November Twenty-ninth,
Nineteen Eighteen.

Miss Laura Clay,
Richmond, Ky.

My dear Miss Laura:

The enclosed bulletin is self-explanatory. I will send you the paper for your signature in a few days. The sheet will go first to Mrs. Hutchinson, as first Vice President, and will then be forwarded to the other officers.

As you notice from the bulletin, only six signatures are desired. As some of our officers must be omitted, it was decided, at the informal discussion at the last Board meeting that the First and Second Vice Presidents, member of the National Executive Council, Congressional Chairman and recording Secretary should be the ones to sign. I regret that we are limited, as I would have liked to have the signatures of all of our officers.

When the sheet reaches you, will you please sign it at once and mail it to Mrs. Edmund M. Post, Ky. Ave., Paducah, Ky. for her signature.

Thanking you in advance for attending to this as promptly as possible, I am.

Most cordially yours,

Christine Buckley South

Copy of answer.

Re. Re. #4, Richmond, Ky. Dec. 8th, 1918.

My dear Mrs. South, By the last mail I received your letter of Nov. 29th, with bulletin enclosed relative to the memorial to Pres. Wilson. As the time till Dec. 15th is so short, I am writing by return mail to suggest that you do not send the Kentucky sheet to me, as I do not care to sign it, I would love to

sign any expression of gratitude to Pres. Wilson for his support of woman suffrage pure and simple. But as his speech referred to was in support of the Anthony amendment for suffrage and Federal supervision of State elections, I cannot sign consistently, as I am strongly opposed to Federal supervision of State elections. To my mind, the provision for Federal supervision of State elections is the major proposition in the Anthony amendment, and woman suffrage the minor provision, since the Federal supervision will affect all the States, and could probably never win as a separate proposition, while the suffrage provision can confer suffrage only on the states which have not won it and all of which can ultimately rescind it by way of state amendments.

Are not our victories grand in Michigan, S. Dakota and Oklahoma?

Very cordially yours,
Samuel Clay,

[Faint signature]

Copy of answer
Re. No. 74, Richmond, Ky. Dec. 8, 1918.

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STATE MOTTO: Standing Having Done All, Stand

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...Kentucky...

Woman's Christian Temperance Union

Time of Prayer—Noontide

Methods—Preventive, Educational, Evangelistic, Social and Legal

Badge—A Knot of White Ribbon

Watchwords—Agitate, Educate, Organize

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 11th, 8 191

Dear Friend:

The time is near at hand when the campaign for Statewide Prohibition should begin. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union has conducted the mightiest educational campaign that the world has ever known. The press, the pulpit, the public school and every avenue for reaching the people has been used, until today this nation is sufficiently informed to know the perils of the traffic in alcohol.

You have in the past shown your sympathy and co-operation by contributing to the organization. In this great manufacturing state, where more money was invested in distilleries and breweries in proportion to the wealth and population than in any other state in the union, we have secured the most advanced legislation. We have become an example and a pattern for other states. You have helped to bring about this state of public opinion. Having assisted in this foundation work, we feel that you are ready to make a contribution that will enable the state to break its shackles and to cast off the yoke of the liquor traffic.

There is a large area of our state where we cannot maintain organization, and in that portion as well as every portion of the state, we need a campaign of posters and literature. We will also be compelled to have a campaign of public speakers. All of these require money and this letter is addressed to you with the earnest desire that you will see the great need and will make the most liberal contribution that you have ever made through any organization for prohibition work.

The liquor men are making a desperate effort and will concentrate their powers on Kentucky. It will mean more for the prohibition cause for Kentucky to put prohibition into her constitution than any other state, but so enormous are the profits of the liquor men that they will spend immense sums of money in fighting this Amendment, even though they know that National Prohibition will in all probability become effective a few years hence, but I hope you feel as I do that we would like for Kentucky to make its own record clean by enacting prohibition for itself.

[Dec 11, 1918]

~~God deals with His people not only as individuals but in their governmental capacity, and a state or a nation that is in partnership with the liquor traffic need not expect and cannot receive the blessing and prosperity that God waits to bestow upon those who order their affairs in harmony with His law.~~

We need thousands of dollars to conduct a proper campaign. Every penny will be economically applied directly to this campaign. Not a cent for salaries, or for office rent, but all for arousing and informing the voter.

In paying this contribution, you can adopt the method that is most convenient to you, - send your entire contribution at once, or make it to cover a period of six months, so much per month. All sending \$20, will receive weekly the "Union Signal": all sending \$10, will receive weekly the "Patriot Phalanx": and all sending \$5, will receive monthly the "Kentucky White Ribbon".

Hoping that we may hear from you at an early date and that your contribution will be in proportion to the importance of the work,

We are, Most respectfully,

Yours for a State redeemed from the liquor traffic,

Frances E. Beauchamp,	President.
Julia R. Gunn,	Vice-Pres.
Arna B. Wheeler,	Cor. Secty.
Ludie D. Pickett,	Rec. Secty.
Norah B. Taylor,	Treasurer.

1029 Dalzell St.,
Shreveport, La.
Dec. 30, 1918.

My dear Miss Gordon,

Your letter written on Christmas Eve has come and I want to do as requested and answer right away. I am afraid I must have seemed terribly remiss, but really some of the letters you referred to must have been lost, as I have tried to answer all that came. Those that I received while away referring to work of the club here I sent to Mrs. Weaver, president of the Shreveport League.

We Kings have only been home two weeks, after a "summer trip" that prolonged itself into winter. Hence I find myself a very busy person indeed, with so many things to do and see about that I don't know where to begin.

I thoroughly agree with you that a board scattered all over the state is not a good thing. Things that come up and need to be talked over make it almost imperative that those who have the authority to act should be get-at-a-ble, and your official family has been a scattered one.

I feel that I have no say about the time of the convention as it will be impossible for me to attend. I have been away so long that I cannot go again, and certain affairs here will need my constant attention for quite a while. My youngest sister has gone to France on Red Cross work and I have a good many things to look after and get in order for her, as she did not come home before sailing, but turned every thing over to me to see about.

Your idea of having a Field Secretary seems a good one to me. There have been no funds in the Treasury for so long (excepting possibly two or three dollars) that something will have to be done if money is to be used, and of course money will have to be used in large quantities to do any good.

I don't like to think of any other State President but you. There is no one else who will be able to carry it on as you have done. I have not had a chance to go to a Suffrage meeting for a long time, but Mrs. Weaver seemed to have done quick good work last fall, from all I hear, and when the plan you referred to in your letter is worked out I imagine she will make good headway with it. I will go to the first meeting and see how things are going.

With best wishes for the New Year for
you and your sisters,

Cordially yours,

Tulia A. King

Dec 30, 1918

Christmas Greetings
and
All good wishes for the New Year

Mrs. George Howard Lewis,

Elmstone,

Buffalo.

[1918?]

Mrs. Smith has secured the names of the Advisory Board and hope that they will be of great service to our work.

Voted, That the Committee known as College Prize Committee will be divided into two committees.

Voted, That the School Prize Committee be authorized to give \$100.00 prize for the best essay on "Suffrage" from Public Schools.

Voted, That the College Prize Chairman offer a prize of \$10.00 to the School of Collegiate Association and Normal School for the best essay or oration for Suffrage.

Voted, That the President be authorized to engage Mr. Millard for not more than ten lectures (ten lectures \$200.00) in the counties that are not strong enough to finance these lectures for themselves.

There being no other business the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth S Pepper

Recording Secretary

Elise Bennett Smith.
(Mrs Thos. J.)

President Kentucky Equal Rights Association.

The mail is from 5th th instead of 8th

[1918]

MRS. EDMUND M. POST
STATE MEMBER
NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
KENTUCKY EQUAL RIGHTS ASSOCIATION
PADUCAH, KY.

Sunday

Dear Miss Laura.

Fred enclosed your two tickets which re-
present you \$1.00 - for a Patroness ticket.
I wish you could be present. Can't you
see them & 2 Louisville people - may be
Elise Smith's daughter could see them?
I am making this suggestion - simply
because you asked me. Mrs. Cant comes Sunday
night - we have invited all the Editors of the 1st District
& be present - we hope they will come. Our Registration
for women - here is doing splendidly - yesterday we had
1,128 women - nearly 2,000 - in 5 days - I am Chairman for
it - and have been speaking in all the factories, Theatres & etc -
Can't you try to help - when its over, write me always - and
deep appreciation sincerely - Yours - I've L. Post.