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NATIONAL AMERICAN.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

The Thirtieth Annual Convention will be held in Columbia Theatre, Washington D. C., beginning Feb. 14, and ending Feb. 19, 1898.

This meeting will be of special interest and significance as the Fiftieth Anniversary of the first convention ever held to demand equal rights for women. No reform ever was more imperatively needed, none ever had greater obstacles to overcome. The subjection of women was world-wide and of immemorial antiquity. It was rooted in the codes and customs of all nations. It was accepted by men and women alike as the law of nature and of God. The thought of equality for women,- their right to education, to a chance for self-support, to the control of their own persons, children, earnings and property,- had scarcely dawned even upon the most progressive minds.

The great movement has steadily advanced. In this half-century a new world has been created for woman. In home and school, in church and State, in the courts, and in the industries and professions, a reformation has been effected, all the more to be valued because achieved through the slow processes of evolution rather than the harsh measures of revolution.

In the political world, the last stronghold of prejudice, the rights of women are being recognized. We have to-day a President and Congress elected in part by the votes of the women. The constitutions of Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho secure to women the full suffrage. In the 285 incorporated cities of Kansas, women exercise municipal suffrage. In 22 States they possess school suffrage.

The Twentieth Century belongs equally to men and women. All citizens of the United States, all friends from other countries, are cordially invited to cooperate in celebrating the semi-centennial of the inauguration of what Wendell Phillips declared to be "The most momentous reform that has yet been launched on the world."



MISS MARY E. WOOLLEY, MRS. ROBERT GOULD SHAW,  
MRS. WINSTON CHURCHILL, MRS. THEODORE ROOSEVELT JR.,  
AND MRS. STANLEY MCCORMICK, AS DIRECTORS,  
HAVE THE HONOR TO INVITE

*Miss Laura Clay*

TO BECOME A REGENT OF THE

**Volunteer League**

OF THE

**National American Woman Suffrage Association**

R. S. V. P.



**National - American  
Woman Suffrage Association.**

*Clara Barton*



NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

PLAN OF WORK, 1904.

HEADQUARTERS.

It is recommended that the National Headquarters be continued at Warren.

PRESS WORK.

It is recommended that the National Press Work continue under the present superintendent, and States be urged to adopt such department, and co-operate with the National Department.

INCREASE OF MEMBERSHIP.

It is recommended that Increase of Membership be the chief work of local organizations, supplemented by the enrolment work.

That the National Association suggest to States to make special efforts in the increase of membership in these organizations which have adopted resolutions in favor of woman suffrage, and that fraternal delegates be sent to Conventions of these and other organizations.

LITERATURE.

It is recommended that the "Headquarters Column", in the WOMAN'S JOURNAL be continued as our National Organ.

That National Headquarters be empowered to send out literature to addresses supplied by the States; the State furnishing the addresses shall be required to pay for the literature and the extra clerical work, and the National Association to pay the postage.

That the National Association resume the publication of small leaflets, similar to the Political Equality Series.

That articles by leading persons be put in leaflet form, and that leaflets of eminent opinions be published; also that more suffrage literature be distributed at State and County Conventions.

That clubs and members be urged to subscribe for the WOMAN'S JOURNAL and PROGRESS.

That the price of PROGRESS be reduced to ten cents per annum.



### LEGISLATION.

It is recommended that States endeavor to secure the equalization of Property and Intestate laws; and also the co-guardianship of children.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

It is recommended that a Memorial Organization Fund, to perpetuate the memory of our pioneer workers, be established, by requesting clubs of less than fifty members to contribute one dollar; between fifty and one hundred members two dollars; all exceeding one hundred members three dollars, annually; said funds to be placed in the hands of the National Treasurer. That twenty dollars from this fund be given to the club or individual under whose auspices a new club, of not less than twenty members is formed, and after such club has been certified to by the Executive Committee of the State in which it is formed and has been in active existence for one year. The work must be done under the auspices of the State Association, where one exists, without the assistance of a paid organizer.

That States employ the National Equal Rights Poster as a form of suffrage agitation and advertisement in the coming elections.

That every suffrage club stands for any social need which commends itself as of value in the judgment of a society.

That one of the women lawyers in the organization be appointed in the capacity of the Association's legal adviser.

That the present method of formulating the Plan of Work be continued.



The following plan for suffrage committees has been made in order that persons too busy to form an equal suffrage league, with regular meetings, etc., may yet help in extending the organization of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association.

REQUIREMENTS FOR A SUFFRAGE COMMITTEE.

- 1st. to pay to the treasury of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association a yearly membership fee of twenty-five cents for each member.
- 2nd. to vote, and if possible to interest other women to vote, in school elections.
- 3rd. to secure signatures for the enrollment cards.
- 4th. to have the subject of equal suffrage brought before the community once a year, preferably by securing the opportunity for a suffrage speaker to address some existing organization, such as the woman's club.

When several committees have been formed in one county, they may be asked, for the convenience of the State Association, to join an "omnibus" county league; but membership in this league will imply no additional requirements.

Three or four times a year, each committee will be invited to send a representative to a work conference, at which details of committee work will be discussed.

Committees wishing to provide for local expenses of postage, etc., are recommended to make their membership fee slightly larger than the amount stated; but only twenty-five cents are required by the State Association.

Chairman of Organization Committee,  
Mass. W. S. A.



Largely through the efforts of Mrs. Henry Wade Rogers, Treasurer of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, a resolution endorsing woman suffrage was adopted by the New York Eastern Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Brooklyn on April eighth. This conference is perhaps the most powerful body in the fellowship of this church and as other smaller eastern conferences in this denomination has passed resolutions endorsing the cause, suffragists feel safe in counting on the support of some thousands of Methodists in the east.

Coming from a family which has long been a leader in this denomination, Mrs. Rogers took a personal responsibility in writing and telegraphing to the leading bishops and ministers who were to be present at the conference urging that they should go on record in favor of equal suffrage.

"I wanted them to refute the statement sometimes made that ministers and churches are opposed to the movement," said Mrs. Rogers, "and I believed that the Methodist denomination was ready to take a stand in favor of this great progressive movement of women."

Rev. C. E. Bartholow of Mount Vernon read the resolution which was greeted with applause and when adopted it was signed by Dr. Bartholow, Elmer E. Dent, Rev. William L. Robinson, Rev. Charles W. Flint, Hiram W. Henderson and Rev. D. Davidson. It was as follows:-

"Believing that equal suffrage is in the logic of the Democracy to which our nation stands committed, and that it would benefit women, as is demonstrated by the states and nations adopting it".

"Therefore, Be it Resolved, that we, the members of the New York East Conference, are in favor of the extension of the suffrage to include all sane, law-abiding citizens of both sexes, and hope that in the November election the proposed amendment to the New York Constitution to this effect will find the hosts of Methodism solidly lined up in its favor."



[Mar. 1911]

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Cosmopolitan .....	1.00	House Beautiful.....	3.00	Popular Mechanics.....	1.50	Unity .....	2.00
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Delineator .....	1.00	International Journal of Ethics .....	2.50	Puck .....	5.00	Woman's Home Companion	1.50
Dog Journal.....	1.00	International Socialist Re- view .....	1.00	Puck's Library.....	1.00	Woman's Journal.....	1.00
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# National American Woman Suffrage Association

*Laura Clay*

having paid Fifty Dollars is a **Life Member** of this Association, entitled to the rights and privileges thereof.

*Susan B. Anthony*  
*Susan W. Shaw*  
*Harriet Taylor Upton*

Honorary  
Presidents.  
President.  
Treasurer.



Votes Sent out Nov. 5th, 1911, by Chairman of Membership Committee of N.A.W.S.A.

Do you vote to admit the Washington Suffrage League?

- 1. Yes. - - - - - Laura Clay.
- 2. Yes, - - - - - Harriet May Mills
- 3. Yes - - - - - Susan W. FitzGerald
- 4. Yes - - - - - Caroline Katzmeister
- 5. Yes - - - - - Mrs. Huntley Russell

Do you vote to admit the State Equal Franchise League of Maryland?

- 1. Yes. - - - - - Laura Clay.
- 2. yes - - - - - Harriet May Mills
- 3. yes - - - - - Susan W. FitzGerald
- 4.
- 5. Yes - - - - - Mrs. Huntley Russell

Do you vote to admit the Just Government League of Maryland?

- 1. Yes. - - - - - Laura Clay.
- 2. Yes. - - - - - Harriet May Mills
- 3. Yes. - - - - - Susan W. FitzGerald
- 4.
- 5. Yes. - - - - - Mrs. Huntley Russell

Do you vote to admit the Indiana Equal Restricted Suffrage Association?

- 1. No, - - - - - Laura Clay.
- 2. ~~data~~ - - - - -
- 3.
- 4.
- 5. No - - - - - Mrs. Huntley Russell

Remarks.

I don't believe in working for restricted suffrage  
 Data on Indiana Ass'n too limited - Cannot vote intelligently - Harriet May Mills -  
 Susan W. FitzGerald



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NEW YORK, January 8, 1912.

Moved by Mrs. Laidlaw and seconded by  
Mrs. Wells that the Woman Suffrage Party shall  
affiliate with the National American Woman Suffrage  
Association, if on investigation we find that our  
articles of incorporation permit such affiliation.

Carried unanimously and with enthusiasm.



we move that, it being the sense of this the informal meeting held in the library at 1 o'clock p.m. today ~~the~~

<sup>that</sup> the convention instruct the Congressional Committee of the National American Woman Suffrage Association to investigate and promote the right of woman to vote for United States Congressmen and Senators and Presidential Electors, by congressional action.

- Laura Clay, Ky.
- Mrs. John Smith Ky.
- Mrs. Mabel McBrine, Chairman Natl. Am. W. S. A. A. S. A.
- Carrie Alexander Babcock, Illinois
- Elizabeth Booth, Nat. College League
- Agnes M. Nease, Rhode Island
- Mae H. Gordon, New Orleans
- Agnes Lillian Hamill, Illinois
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- " Ed. Ross, Tennessee
- Mrs. Julia H. Green, Alabama
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- Anna Lamm Holand, Indiana
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- Essie Virginia Frost, Ill.
- Ella R. Nagely
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- Mrs. Flora Estey, Chicago, Ill.
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- Mrs. Char. E. Tompkins, Norfolk, Va.
- Louise E. Anthony, Penn.
- Lena A. Warner, Penn.
- Julia S. Lusk, Tenn.
- Rosalie E. Jones, New York
- Francis Hobt Crum, Tennessee
- Ida A. Craft, New York
- Mrs. J. C. Ewin, Tennessee
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- Mrs. M. H. Felton, Georgia
- Kate Wendell Leonard, Massachusetts
- Mary Coddling, Duquoin, Illinois (Pontiac)
- Mary A. Jefford, Orlando, Fla.
- Mrs. Hays Van Brock, Chicago, Ill.
- Gene H. Sharp



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| 33 | " Leger, Murray.                          |    |  |
| 34 | " Pike Co. Republican, Pikeville.         |    |  |



This agreement made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of May, A. D. 1910, by and between

ALICE STONE BLACKWELL,

party of the first part, and

THE NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION,

a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the  
District of Columbia, party of the second part, WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the party of the first part is the owner of  
one hundred one (101) shares of stock being a majority of the  
two hundred (200) shares of stock of The Woman's Journal Company,  
a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State  
of Massachusetts, and;

WHEREAS, as the party of the first part has for many  
years been engaged in editorial work in connection with the  
weekly paper, The Woman's Journal; and

WHEREAS, the party of the second part is desirous of  
securing the use of the said Woman's Journal as its national  
organ and its official means of communication with its State  
and local auxiliaries;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is agreed by and between the parties  
hereto as follows:

1. Said party of the second part adopts the said Woman's  
Journal as its official national organ to assist in the purposes  
of its organization, and it hereby appoints said party of the  
first part its Editor-in-Chief for the term of one year from the  
signing of this agreement.

2. Said party of the first part hereby accepts said appoint-  
ment, and agrees to serve without salary for said term of one  
year.



3. Said party of the second part agrees to employ a private secretary for said party of the first part, during the term of her employment, at a cost not to exceed fifteen dollars per week; to employ a business manager and such other business and literary help as shall seem necessary to said parties, and to pay all the necessary bills accruing from the publication of The Woman's Journal.

4. Five or more Contributing Editors from various large cities of the United States shall be selected or approved by said party of the first part to serve without salary, and the policy of Woman's Journal shall be controlled by the general officers of said party of the second part.

5. The general appearance of The Woman's Journal shall remain the same as heretofore, with the memorial line relating to Lucy Stone and Henry B. Blackwell. The shape and size of page shall be unchanged. Underneath the title "The Woman's Journal" shall be added these words: "Organ of the National American Woman Suffrage Association." The subscription price shall be lowered to One (\$1.00) Dollar per year. The paper shall continue to be published in Boston.

6. The party of the first part hereby agrees to use her best endeavors to secure for said second party, the shares of stock in said Woman's Journal Company held by persons other than herself, and she further agrees to give and bequeath by her last will and testament to said second party her said one hundred one (101) shares of stock in said Woman's Journal Company.

7. If at any time the annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association vote to discontinue the arrangement by which the officers of said party of the second part conduct the Woman's Journal, and use it as its national organ, such vote shall become effective six months after the time when such vote is taken.

8. If at any time said first party wishes to change the



provisions hereinbefore named she shall give six months notice of such intention to the official board of said party of the second part.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(SEAL)

NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Its President.

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Its Recording Secretary.



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For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1887

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*Jane H. Spofford*

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## EXTRACTS FROM THE CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE 2.—The object of this Association shall be to secure NATIONAL Protection for women in the exercise of their citizens' right to vote.

ARTICLE 3.—All citizens of the United States, subscribing to this Constitution and contributing not less than one dollar annually, shall be considered members of the Association, with the right to participate in its deliberations.



[June 1, 1910]

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under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Massachusetts; and

WHEREAS, the party of the first part has for many years  
been engaged in editorial work in connection with the weekly  
paper "The Woman's Journal"; and

WHEREAS, the party of the second part is desirous of  
securing the use of the said The Woman's Journal as its national  
organ and its official means of communication with its state and  
local auxiliaries;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is agreed by and between the parties  
hereto as follows :

1. Said party of the second part adopts said The  
Woman's Journal as its official national organ to assist in the  
purposes of its organization, and it hereby appoints said party  
of the first part its Editor-in-Chief for the term of one year  
from the signing of this agreement, with the understanding that  
such vacations from work as the health of said party of the first  
part may demand, shall be granted by said party of the second part.

2. Said party of the first part hereby accepts said  
appointment, and agrees to serve without salary for said term of



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one year.

3. Said party of the second part agrees to employ a private secretary for said party of the first part, during the term of her employment, at a cost not to exceed Fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per week, said private secretary to be selected by said party of the first part. Said party of the second part agrees to employ a business manager and such other business and literary help as shall seem necessary to said parties, and to pay all the necessary bills accruing from the publication of said The Woman's Journal.

4. Five (5) or more Contributing Editors from various large cities of the United States shall be selected or approved by said party of the first part to serve without salary, and the policy of The Woman's Journal shall be controlled by the general officers of said party of the second part.

5. The general appearance of The Woman's Journal shall remain the same as heretofore with memorial line relating to Lucy Stone and Henry B. Blackwell. The shape and size of page and the frequency of issue shall be unchanged. Underneath the title, "The Woman's Journal" shall be added these words, "Organ of The National American Woman Suffrage Association". The subscription price shall be lowered to One dollar (\$1.00) per year. The paper shall continue to be published in Boston.

6. The party of the first part hereby agrees to use her best endeavors to secure for said second party the shares of stock of said corporation "The Proprietors of the Woman's Journal", held by persons other than herself, and she further agrees to give and bequeath by her last will and testament to said second party her said one hundred and one (101) shares of stock in said corporation The Proprietors of the Woman's Journal.



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7. This contract is to continue for one year, and thereafter until amended or terminated as hereinafter provided.

8. If at any time the annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association shall vote to discontinue the present arrangement in accordance with which the officers of said party of the second part conduct The Woman's Journal and use it as its national organ, such vote shall become effective six months after the time when such vote is taken. Said Association shall thereupon return to said party of the first part The Woman's Journal and everything pertaining thereto, shall refund to her the money received by the Association from the sale of the shares of stock which the Association may have acquired through her, and shall also return to her any unsold shares acquired through her. Each party shall nominate a disinterested appraiser and these two shall select a third. These appraisers, considering all material matters relating to this transaction, shall determine what sum either party shall pay to the other.

9. If at any time said party of the first part wishes to terminate this contract, she shall give six months notice of such intention to the official board of said party of the second part, whereupon said party of the second part shall turn over The Woman's Journal and the things pertaining thereto, to said party of the first part, and appraisers shall be chosen as hereinbefore provided, and they shall determine what sum either party hereto shall pay to the other.

10. In case either of said parties desires to amend said contract at any time, three months notice of such desired amendment shall be given to the other of said parties, and if at the end of said three months, the parties have not agreed as to said amendment, the party proposing said amendment may, at her or



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its option, withdraw such proposed amendment, or give six months notice of the termination of this contract, as is hereinbefore provided.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

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(SEAL)

THE NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION,

By \_\_\_\_\_

Its President.

ATTEST :

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Its Recording Secretary.



THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this twelfth day of October A. D. 1910, by and between

THE NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION,  
a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the District of Columbia, party of the first part,  
and

THE CARGILL COMPANY,  
a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Michigan, party of the second part,  
WITNESSETH:

The party of the first part, authorized thereto, by a vote of its Official Board, hereby endorses and approves the series of thirty suffrage post cards and the stationery, visiting cards and jewelry, bearing the emblem of "The blot on the escutcheon" as published by the party of the second part, and submitted by said party of the second part to the Official Board of said party of the first part.

The party of the first part hereby authorizes the party of the second part to print on each of said post cards so submitted and approved the words "Endorsed and approved by the National American Woman Suffrage Association" and to place on said stationery, visiting cards and jewelry so submitted and approved the words "Endorsed by N.A.W. S. A."

The party of the first part hereby further agrees to allow said party of the second part to place such endorsements on other post cards, only when eight samples thereof shall be first submitted to its Official Board by said party of the second part, and when also said cards are approved by the said Official Board.

Said party of the first part agrees to cooperate with said party of the second part in pushing the sale of said post



cards, stationery, visiting cards and jewelry, and to furnish to said party of the second part the names and addresses of suffrage leagues and associations in the United States and the names and addresses of the enrolled members thereof so far as possible.

In consideration of the promises and agreements on the part of said first party herein contained said party of the second part hereby promises to pay to the Treasurer of said party of the first part quarterly ten (10) per cent of the amount of the gross sales of said suffrage post cards, stationery, and visiting cards and to pay quarterly to the Treasurer of said party of the first part in quarterly instalments five (5%) per cent of the amount of the gross sales of the official emblematic suffrage jewelry manufactured by the C. M. Robbins Company of Attleboro, Mass., which will be one half the amount paid by said C. M. Robbins Company to said party of the second part and said party of the second part "promises and agrees to pay to the Treasurer of said party of the first part in quarterly instalments five (5%) per cent of the amount of the gross sales of the official emblematic jewelry, by whomsoever manufactured, and said party of the second part promises and agrees to keep full, true and accurate books of account which shall show in detail the amounts of all sales of such post-cards, stationery, visiting cards and jewelry, and the amounts received and to be received therefor, and all the proceeds of such sales; and said party of the second part agrees to keep its books of account open for the inspection of the auditors of said party of the first part, whenever said party of the first part so requests.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.



EXECUTED IN DUPLICATE.

NATIONAL AMERICAN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION,

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Its President.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Its Recording Secretary.

THE CARGILL COMPANY.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Its President.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Its Manager.