

# Minnesota Woman Suffrage Association Records.

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Thee, 1918

Miss Frace Paudall, 403 Essex Bldg. mimespolis min. Dear Miss Randalf .-Inclosed find additional 13 names of women. These has bren & is so much seekus hand I shirt this will be all the names of can secured.

Mrs. H.D. Magner,

Very bruly yours Quota 604 men-12 Woman -38

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Vicamber 1 - 1918. Thy fear Thus Urland: I readily understand how you must be vorwhelmed mulit after convention. In any case, the ban is not get upled here on public meetings, so we could not have used the dates proposed in

At a committee meeting here tribay, the switiment was all against beginning the pilition works without some impetus, telle The purlie meeting we have planned -The passage by the June of the comend

went. At that they were it all unwelling J. A. Dubois, M. D., Sauk Center to work; on the Contrary; but the act\_ realisi carlandy is peculiar here, and

they dread prejudering the work for tack

of the Elements of success. The calls to convention have not reached me, but I shall be glud to distribute their when they come. I was not at the tradfoot last year so I are in the dark as to what the response " may be for which you are putting we on the forsgram. Is I was naver Knowy to speak up tempere , I shall have to buy for meightenment as to ausjusty lungth of time to be occupied. I hope that I can is what you wish any shall be glad to bry wither of the plans I have on foot for meabling me to leave home materialy. In that care I will let you know in luie for you to ask down one Elac. My sincerely yours, Markeling T. Stocklon (mus. Om. Tocklon)

COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE WOMAN'S COMMITTEE MINNESOTA COMMISSION OF PUBLIC SAFETY WOMEN'S AUXILIARY COMMITTEE COUNTY CHAIRMAN DIRECTOR: The Efforts of the State and MRS. HALVER S. HALVERSON of the United States to Corr-MRS. THOMAS G. WINTER elate and Unify the Work MISS AIMEE FISHER, SECRETARY FOOD CONSERVATION of Women 2617 DEAN BOULEVARD MRS. HENRY OTTO, JR. MINNEAPOLIS COUNTY ORGANIZATION SAUK CENTRE, MINN., Dec. / 1918 My Llear Mrs. Neland: I dan sending you the names from South Eventul. I feel that for this town this is a very good representation. How I hope reports from other localities will do well and that all will go what at blessing that the wan is over, but we shall ever be busy uner with the reconstruction shed of us. Eestaily I am now than big. I have taken or added duties in the form of substituting in our fublic School tilfy mas. Myduties start & morning. It is rext to inpossible to get trachers This is the age of doing, is it is and for more to be more than horse keepers.

HOTEL ADA C. J. Snuff, Prop. ADA, MINN., Dec 2 1918 My Dear Miss Heckrich, Tell Mie Weland it makes a whole lot of difference when ohe has priviled in a place and I recommend that for the good of the course she do a lot of visiting around - Behold the committee for Ada! Came down here yesterday (Sumday) afternoon - got in touch with Mrs. Tenney who was most perfaceers. The lid was cautiously removed yesterday morning do who was at liberty to call the well mom-en together - This she promised to do, and Treturned to the hotel and allempled to arrange for a car to drive to Frie Valley This morning - It stormed hard Sat night

The roade mure vile - only two autos for hire, both engaged, but this morning

the kind hearted garage man hunted me up the inspector of boilers who drives , over the country our his own fliver with the isinglass all knocked out, and he generously took me over and look (round trife) for Has Sam Mrs. Winer who consented to puch the felition, find her own committee Vin named the momen she hoped to get so you'r how their names on record ) and read in 300 Called on the edetor who was our and couldn't be located, left him a short story which Mr Warner was to supplement with her I Committee names and hustled 6 get back her on time for the meeting which was held in the hatel parlow - and del just on the opinute. There were menly to me after these long ages of quarantine, like avast and enthusiastic throng Fitted Mrs. Hanson out with a report of The meeting - the distinguish commette mished to take to the papers herself (and besides it was six o'alock) Helephoned to Mrs. Bergh before Islanded for Irvin Valley - She said; "Of course, if there is something to be done for suffrage I want to do to!" Tail their she falloned one appreciate her caurage in taking obstacles and the fact than she was tok-

### HOTEL ADA

C. J. Snuff, Prop.

ADA, MINN.,\_\_\_\_ the fab single handed deterred me from asking her to roise money. yes, think you've sent me every thing vry faithfully, except my Citizen and information as to Oklahoma. Clery current suffrage news would be greatly wel. comed - It simply can't be had as I blow about it's not kept in stock up here. Please send to Sent Miss Eugenie Hammond (H.S., Teacher) any material you can contribute to a high School debate - She is working one are excellent scheme - it is to be by the pupils in the first motorice, but a public, performance to conclude meth forum - andique of course participating I gars her a copy of each of The leaflets

[4] That with me -400 B Please observe your usual admirable dispatch in sending supplies to this country - Mrs. Honor is anxious to do the business right up this week. Mrs. Grans of Chookston monted to be assured, too, that her moterio & mould be on hand where she got her commille logether the first minute the born frax lifted Imonton to Bansville tought reaching there of Thorn good gleech some where to imply that I wished to dodge Mohnomer, but only to indicate Thore it was likely to come anne what might appear a desproportionale I was desolated his what you report of Min Shockley - She told me how they had just loat. The two trook able women they I ever had (not "flu"; mond array) - She called every one. That seemed a bit hopeful the day I was there - The three of them was all that could he mustered in than shoot time - Mrs. Buse could nit do much (to frail) and judging merely from the other's nome - it is plans. ible, That she has consulted her friest since our little meeting - There couldn't be one harm in consulting the Com, Clieb . It would be sure to promote discussion of the issuese and the noveley of the proceedure appeals to me Send them "lit" to set them thurbing - Enough for this time Suncerely Rece & the Stevens

Chacka Minin Dec 2-1918 Mis Clara M. Hickneh. Decy' I am Eudnig in the names of these I have Is en to the influence, it has been dificult to get around. and the people do not seem to he much welliscaled in sufferage him, in fact some viet out lieber. I livet there from name nece help a lelle. Secrety Just Scott. 2nota 225 monor. A. Scott

CARLETON COLLEGE NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA DONALD J. COWLING December 2, 1918. PRESIDENT Mrs. Andreas Ueland, 403 Essex Building, Minneapolis, Minn. My dear Mrs. Ueland: Your letter of November 29 has just

come in President Cowling's absence from home.

Dr. Cowling is in Boston this week in connection with some educational meetings, and expects to remain in the East until after the dates you mention, December 12, 13 and 14. He will, therefore, be unable to accept you invitation to deliver an address on Thursday evening, December 13, which I know he will regret. I shall bring your letter to his attention upon his return home.

Yours very truly,

Mary L. Slewart, Secretary to the President.

December 3, 1918 Prof. Pavid Swenson, Minneapolis, Minnesota My dear Mr. Swenson: --We are holding a State Suffrage Convention December 12th, 13th and 14th, and wish very much to have you one of three persons to speak briefly on "Citizenship" especially as it relates to Americanization, Thursday at 5 P. M., at the Gold Room, Hotel Radisson. May we ask you to telephone your reply to the State Office, Nic. 6270, as early as possible for the sake of our printed program? We want to make this a forward-looking program, taking up citizenship in a larger aspect than its mere relation to Women. Yours very truly, Business Secretary Written at the direction of Mrs. Andreas Ucland, State Bresident and Miss Hope Mc Donald, Co.President

December 3,1918 Mrs. Peter Olesen, Carlton, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Olesen: --We are schoduling you for ten minutes Thursday afternoon in a symposium on "Americanization." We hope Mr. Swenson, Mrs. T. G. Winter will also speak on this subject. We are also putting you down for a 30-minute talk on Thursday Evening, Dec. 13th, on the subject you select. Will you please write us at once what your subject will be so we can have it in time for our printed progran. You will be entertained in someone's We will take care of your transporhome: tation expenses. Yours very truly, Business Scoretary Written at the direction of Mrs. Andreas Ueland and Miss Hope Mc Donald.

December 3,1918

Mrs. Walter Mc Nab Miller, Columbia Missouri

My dear Mrs. Miller:-

I am sure Miss Marguerite Wells has written you that she wants to entertain you when you are here. She is also going to see Dr. Benjamin and make arrangements for you to see him.

will you send us something for publicity. What have you been doing the past year or two? Of course, I know you were chairman of the Food Conservation committee but give us a few outstanding happenings in your life. We have a photograph that we like. If you have had anything taken recently will you send us something as soon as possible.

We have put you down for several appearances at our convention. You must not let us overwork you. I think I told you that our general subject is "The Dawn of a New Day." Thursday afternoon there is to be a symposium on "Americanization. Friday afternoon under the general heading "Suffrage in Action" there is to be another Symposium called The Re-adjustment of Women in Industry," and we are to have some specialists on this subject. You are scheduled for an address that afternoon. Now if you wish to make it along industrial lines or if you wish to give something entirely different, it is just as you please I think we can give you 15 or 20 minutes on that afternoon. We will put your name down on the program simply for an address, and you can be making up your mind what you want to say.

Our chief speaker at the luncheon is, we hope, Dr. Marion Le Roy Burton, President of the University, and we also want you to make a little speech. That is the occasion for our call for subscriptions. We are to have two evening sessions and unless we have worked you too hard, we may ask you for a short address on Friday Evening. Most of the speakers in the evening are men. I am stelling you these things as they may be a guide to you in crystalizing your thoughts, but if you have a special message and something that you went very much to say to us that is exactly what we want to hear. Sincerely yours. State President (Mrs. Andreas VelAnd)

December 3, 1918 Mrs. Henry Youmans, Milwaukee, Wisconsin My dear Mrs. Youmans: --I return Mrs. Laidlaw's petition and note. Very likely you were right about Mrs. Catt but I fear it does not make much difference one way or the other 110W. I do not understand whether the smallgroup of men that the President has appointed is all that are to sit at the Peace Table for America or whether later he appoints a larger and more inclusive group who will sit for a longer time and work out the details of the Peace ques -tion. If any woman is appointed at any time from America, I agree with you in thinking Mrs. Catt is preminently the one. Sincerely yours. (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

December 3, 1918 Mrs. Grant Van Sant, 30 Crocus Place, St. Paul, Minn. My dear Mrs. Van Sant: -In accordance with my promise, I enclose herewith a list of the 67 subscriptions received from St.Paul during the year. One of these days I will forward the St.Paul Association a check for commissions. I would like very much to have you check this list. I have kept a record of subscriptions as they were ordered from New York, and I believe you will find all here. In the same period nine Senators were sent six month's subscriptions, including Senators De Negre, Orr and J.A. Jackson of St. Paul. Sincerely yours, State Pres

December 3, 1918 Mrs. Alice Halvorson. Sauk Center Minnesota My dear Alice:-I am very pleased indeed to get your good petition. You have met your quota of women's names - 100 - and have sent signatures of 75 men. Do you think you could possibly got the signatures of 25 more men? I would like to put you on the honor roll as meeting your quota with both men and women. I am interested to learn that you are helping in the schools. I am sure you could not spend your time in a more useful way. I hope now that we have peace our teachers will come back to their school work; also that we have learned that we should Do not overwork yourself. pay them better. Affectionately yours, (Mrs. Andreas Ueland) appre

Dubite tariland mis RA moth n Blodgett " Et Cupsin " C 8 Batchelder

December 3rd, 1918. Mrs. J.H. Holton, McIntosh, Minnesda. My dear Mrs. Holton: -Our organizer, Frs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in McIntosh. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahome, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election that it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few menths are very bright. Two years ago you had 167 waters in McIntosh. Te are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 85 men and 85 woman. Many of the towns are sending in petitions containing names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from McIntosh. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th, so that we can include McIntosh in our report at the Annual State Convention. This Annual State Convention is to be held December 12th, 13th and 14th, in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hotel, and we hope you and a number of your women may attend. Sincerely yours, State President. (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

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Dec.3,1918.

Mrs.W.H. Thorp. 403 Essex Bldg., Minneapolis,

My dear Mrs. Thorp:

Here is the list of organizations endorsing the resolution asking that women be included in the Peace Delegation, as reported to me:

Association of Collegiate Alumnae, Mrs. James Richardson, Pres. Betesta Society of Norwegian Deaconess Hospital, Mrs. F. E. Moody (225 mems.) B.P.O.E .-- Mrs. George Towle

Ministerial Ass'n including all denominations endorsed Churches: It enthusiastically and unanimously and sent telegram to the President. Mrs. George E. Towle

Christian Women's Board of Missions-Mrs.G.B.Drake, Pres. Congregational Missionary Society-Mrs.G.E.Towle Mpls.League of Catholic Women- Mrs.D.C.Daily National Council of Jewish Women- Mrs. Maurice Wolff, Pres.

Concordia Society -- Mrs. F. E. Moody (800 mems.) Council of National Defense- Minnesota Women's Committee-Mrs.T.G. Winter Mpls. Women's Committee-Mrs.A.W.Strong

D.A.R.-State- Mrs. James T.Morris Fifth District Federation of Women's Clubs-Mrs.J.G.Swan, Pres. Farm Women's Congress- Mrs.C.C.Neale

Girls Council of W.C.A. & others-Mrs. James Paige

Hennepin County Woman Suffrage Ass'n .-Lewis Parliamentary Law Ass'n.-Mrs.V.C.Sherman

Mass Meeting at Auditorium for Margaret Slattery passed it unanimously-

Mrs.H.G.Harrison. Minn. Federation of Women's Clubs- Mrs.George Allen, Rochester Minn. Federation of Fraternal Women-Mrs.Sara Matthews, Pres.

Minn. Woman Suffrage Ass'n .-

Minn. Scandinavian Woman Suffrage Ass'n.-Mrg. Luth Jaeger, Pres. Nat'l League for Women's Service, Mrs. C.A. Severance, St. Paul Oracle Club of Royal Neighbors, Mrs. Luckla Ives. (3000 women) Seton Guild- Mrs. D. E. Virtue

Sunshine Society, Mrs.M.P.Hanson Woman's Auxiliary of Fairview Hospital-Mrs.F.E.Moody (350 mems.)

Women's Co-operative Alliance-Mrs. Robbins Gilman

Women's Home & Foreign Missionary Society of Minn. Conference-Mrs.F.E. Moody (2000 + members.)

Women's Inner Mission League-Mrs.F.E.Moody (215 mems.) W.C.T.U.-State -Miss Rozette Hendrix

Hennepin County-Mrs.G.E. Towle

Women's Naval Service-Mrs. H. W. Backus

W.C.A., Mrs. James Paige Y.W.C.A., Miss Frances Cross Zurah Ladies

Sincerely yours,

aimer Fisher Acting Chairman .

A Resolution respectfully submitted to the President of the United States As a just and lasting peace depends upon the most liberal understanding and practive of democracy throughout the world, it appears fundamental, just and wise that women as well as men of free peoples be represented at the Peace Council which determines the conditions of that peace. We therefore call upon the President of the United States to INCLUDE WOMEN IN THE PEACE DELEGATION of this country. Signed for a body of representatives from Minneapolis League of Catholic Women Fifth District, Federated Clubs of Minnesota Minneapolis W. C. T. U. Minnesota Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense Minneapolis Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense Jewish Council of Women Young Women's Christian Association Scandinavian Woman Suffrage Association Minnesota Woman Suffrage Association Hennepin County Woman Suffrage Association Seton Guild Royal Neighbors Girls' Council of Woman's Christian Association and others.

alexandria, minn, 12/3-1918 Dear Mrs. Weland: I see to sail The Paul Taily news that the to the prevention convenes The monte police see the Ja own W. E. T. be. entitled to a delegate? If so, I am planning on attending the convention in that Capacity. We had a splendid suffrage meeting the evening of nov. 25. Personally, I have not been able to do much suffrage work the past year owing to Mr. Wolds serious illness, Jam sive you remember mr. Wald in the 1915 tegislature and how valiently he stood for over cause toth there and in his Paper. The died Oct. 29 - May I hear from you soon -



Mrs. andreas beland, calkount rachfield ave minne apolis, minne

Rush good Minn. Dec- 3. 1918. Mus. andreas He land - Pres. State Buffrage beadquarters, Minneapoles, Minneapoles, Minne My dear Mus. We land: Enclosed find the suffrage Jetitions that were circulated in Rushford. The obtained some mannes from The vicinity-especially in South Rush and. The committee worked enthusiasticallyand secured the signatures of 176 voters and 243 women- well wer the number Successly yours. asked for. Mmie H. Brulle (Mus. 12 M. & mith) Ch. com.

Grandda Minn Dec 3, 1918 Dear Mrs Weland, Enclosed are the petitione, I am sorry I couldn't grover the top before the convention but I have done my best. Inckniss and other matters hindered. I will try to get more. I solicited all the signatures but 21 names, Jour see Ilive 5 miles out on a farm and much of time is spent with my grandmother in Faribands Co. I helped mise Segar and mrs Farrington over there, Fur suffrage Charrman Miss Georgia deckey is attending the University I wish she might attend the convention, at least a part of the sessions. Her address 921 University Que. If you or! some of the suffrage workers could call on her I believe it would be possible & get her more interested in the works. The Granada association died when the Red Cross Came for everyone was too busy. I ve better, Irene Benton

Duluck Minn-The 3th 1918 Even ety cant recommend Tues for more Than that-The Dras Mrs Welaud: -Talked to Mer Bughan The Editor of the Grala-Luguris + Le rache adoned accong whome who should against asking him to know seem to industi Stalk - feeling that he that her Carro is by no could had do if mell means a public speaker there me several Korons that he can make a that contributed to his plain + suifle statement Election - a strong of facts fairly clearly purmal dulche of his ficcias agree - bill macy side of Mr. Muler

fartly acce I thuck to his 3 privile life - My Millies almost continuous absence from Delette trik mater & summer - & Lis own lack of campaigning this year -I thuis he & this committee greatly underestimated Mr. Cares. In my at Republican headquarter Metron night or it was a Complete President's appear swing many Inverale who when figurantly ohived han known - & when tast an almost soled labor orle orhiel me have to thank for Mr. Veterenis defeat also -Janu planning to go to Convention rest wich - few thoping to brug Two or while return I feet that many be only a tope as it is so near time. HENNEPIN COUNTY WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION

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December 3, 1918.

It will give us great pleasure to have you serve as hostess at our Convention luncheon held at the Radisson Hotel, Saturday, Dec. 14th. at half-past twelve o'clock. It will add greatly to the interest of the occasion, we think, to have as hostesses some of our prominent women who are suffragists.

Two suggestions that have been made as to methods of helping the attendance and interest are; first, the hostess may persuade the members of her club or a group of friends or neighbors to form a party; or she may invite a number of friends to go as her guests. Neither of these suggestions is to be considered as an obligation.

If you are willing, we should like to use in our press work information about such parties as are planned. Tickets for the luncheon are \$1.25.

May we ask for a prompt reply to State Headquarters, Nicollet 6270.

Cordially yours,

President Minnesota Woman Suffrage Association

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AND UNIFY THE WORK OF WOMEN

My dear Miss Heckrich, Yours of the 30th received. I had another to get workers. You perhaps have selle, that the lid is off. But it was done ferenet forily to serve certain business wherest. The lid was ful in darly here I we seemed to keep wonderfully free from the unfluence, but now it is really increasing The malady seems to have become more series. women heritate about going about & it seems inhossible to each meeting of any size which means so much in generating earthusiasm. We had looked to better things for with our early tid richness was very little, but it has creft in from the outside of now with averything wide ofen things are getting worse instead We decided the only tring is to go ahead quietly & without exposure as far as possible (engitining as to illness in a home before going no) of althout seems impossible to get a large humber at work, for sime Sorkers as we go along.
Thanking you for the blirature Genmeel. of us to start out without delay, and by a fret up Mrs. W. tr. P.S. Miss anne Mahlum is acting as Cublicity Committee.

December 4th, 1918. Mrs. S.E. Bergh, Balstad, Minnesota. My dear Wrs. Bergh:-Our organizer, Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was in ... your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in-lalstad. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 226 voters in Halstad. We, are, therefore, asking that you secure the signs tures of at least 114 men and 114 women. Hany of the towns are sending in petitions containing the names of almost every wan and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine netition from Walstad. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th, so that we can include Halstad in our report at the Annual State Convention. This Annual State Convention is to be held December 12th, 13th and 14th in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hotel, and we hope you and a number of your women may attends Sincerely yours, State President. (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

December 4th, 1918. Mrs. W.E. Pearson, Tosston. Minnesota. My dear 1 rs. Pearson: Our organizer, Frs. Hene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Fosston. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help s are the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnasota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Daketa, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Vederal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 203 voters in losston. e are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 105 men and 105 women. Many of the towns are sending in petitions containing the names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from McIntosh. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th, so that we can include Fossion in our report at the Annual State Convention. This Annual State Convention is to be held December 12th, 13th and 14th, in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hotel, and we hope you and a number of your women may attend. incerely yours, (Mrs. Andreas Ueland) State President.

December 4th, 1918.

Prs. Norman H. Stadum, Clyndon, Finnesota.

My dear Mrs. Stadum: -

Cur organizer, Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was in your to m recently writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Glyndon. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the vary great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota.

The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, bouth Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states, and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright.

We are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 45 men and 45 wemen. Hany of the towns are sending in patitions containing names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine patition from Glyndon.

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Sincerely yours,

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December 4th, 1918. Prs. B.A. Warner, "win Valley, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Varner:-Cur organizer, Frs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Twin Valley. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to calp share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesotne The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new tates, Louth Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has everybeen. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 152 voters in Twin Valley. We are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at beest 80 men and 80 women. Wany of the terms are sending in petitions containing the names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from Twin Valley. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th, so that we can include Fertile in our report at the Annual State Convention. This A mnual State Convention is to be held December 12th, 13th and 14th, in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hotel, and we hope you and a number of your women Sincerely yours. (Mrs. Andreas Veland) State President.

December 4, 1918. Mrs. Charles Cliver, Barnesville. Minn. My dear Mrs. Oliver:-Our organizer, Mrs. Hene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Bornesville. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to elp share the v ry great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minneseta. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakots, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more faverable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage mendment being passed within a few months are very tright. Two years ago you had 276 voters in Barnesville. We are, therefore, asking that you secure the signitures of as least 150 men and 150 women. Many of the towns are sending in petitions containing the names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I ambhoping for a fine petition from Barnesville. Ifit is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th, so that we can include Barnesville in our report at the Annual State Convention. This Annual State Convention is to be held December 12th, 13th and 14th, in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hotel, and we hope you and a number of your women may attend. Sincerely yours, State President. (Mrs. Andreas Uel and)

December 4th, 1918. Irs. A.L. Hanson, Ada. Minnesets. My dear Frs. Hanson:-Cur organizer, Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Ada. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the election. throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahema, have been added to the full suffrage statex; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 332 voters in Ada. Te are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 170 men and 170 women. Many of the towns are senda in petitions containing the names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from Ada. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th, so that we can include ada in our report at the Annual State Convention. This Annual State Convention is to be held December 12th, 13th and 14th in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hatel, and we hope you and a number of your somen may attend. Sincerely yours, State Bresident. (Mrs. Andreas Weland)

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want to tell you how perfectly for your pake far tonight by alterded church socielies and

put in the paper -The little manner who has undertaken to organize the petitions work, Mrs. James Garrity is young an unthusiastic suffragist, and is the wife of the city attourney - I told them I had been asking cities of this size to raise 50% but I was gained to ask them what they thought they could gained to ask them what they thought they could rive - Mrs. Groves, who in spile of the foot that The deer not answer letters, is a woman of force and many good works said - well let us just get what we can, it is hard to pay with so small a refresentation - and so it was left - but Mrs Peter son who is leaving very room - home already rented-start at the financial ball rolling by handing over to mrs. Sarrily a check for Flore made to the order The very great prevalence of ellness was the real eauxe of the non attendance. Mrs Russell who telephone to so many is herself confined with a rick child and some of them hom as many as if rick while dren dren - Hell here's hoping some felitions will come out of it Very sincerely Pene E. H. Stevens -P.S. Just as I signed my name. The telephone rang, Throw Mrs. Larrity saying than when she got home her husband told she must not undertake the Chairmanship and she was tendering her resignation!

Clay County Glynden. 49th L.D. espeed Dec. 4-1918 Mrs. Norman A. Staden Chairman.

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I'm town looks to seems formine cooperation.

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ABSOLUTELY FIRE PROOF EUROPEAN PLAN \$1.00 AND UP Hotel Comstock Dec. 4.18 Moorhead, Minn. Dear Miss Heckrich -Send petitions sufflies as. follows, and of passible as they mel Mrs. Over Lamby Dilworth min Mrs. Jarman H Stadum, Glyden. There will fundertake to get a majority of their and momen in Theer knigel towns -Miss Flore ce Monnshare They tought together somewhere - ? Mrs Stadiemia home was Minnesp alis until ohe was morriedthe local defense Committee non en fur des leaders ef R. C. etc. Thing look fielly encouraging

Theod-but thor may rest until often over meeting (?) tonight when Thope to get an effection committee Mrs - (senotor) Peterson and mrs. Rus. sell (chin . nomais com.) are helping get momen together with rether apethetic, resulto as reported as Iget neaver mahmomen, and reslige Mrs. Weland would particularly like some results there - I mich & might get hold I the name of some one there who to interested in Judian offaire for in public things generally yah are get nest to any more time Friday morning at Detroityou burn White Easth where The nice editorius of the RR and a long may from Mahnomen However Johne try to get into touch with him top in

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hat can be stimulates

Austin Hinnesola Lec. 4, 1918 State Moman Suffrage Headquarters 403 Essex Blog Minnespoles I have been trying to get these petitions filled But have failed has my Committe not working as good as I wished Nearly all the men and women that I asked signed so they all sum to be in faver of Woman's Suffrage. yours truly Afra Ses. Bandler 202 Sv. Third St. Clustin Spinnessa

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BEMIDJI, MINN., Dec 4th 1918 Mrs andreas Veland, Minneapolis Minn, My dear Mrs Ulland. This has been a more difficult task than I anticipaled as it has been nest ti impossible to get workers. Unfortunately for me since Mis Stevens was here I have been ill and unable to do much myself save what I have done one the telephone. I hope another time to be able to serve you better. a note from Mis Hermanson at Kelliher stales that she has mailed her lists to you. as yet I have heard nothing from other towns. as the time was so short I asked them each to send signatures to you direct. Very sinearly yours mo P.A Helin White Helin White

Men andreas Velond.

HO3 Esser Building Mpls. My dear Mrs Weland. mames of some who signed the petitions. an every I was unable to get out oud get onvere as I feel oure There is many more in This district who is on four of This movem-End but driving in the Country it is hard for me to go out. fransphu SchaefferRonte 2. MABEL B. URY, MANAGER TELEPHONE HAYMARKET 4278 26 PEMBERTON SQUARE

Dec. 4, 1918.

My dear Mrs. Deland:

In accordance with your telegram just received, I am making the evening of Thursday, December 12th, definite for the Woman's Suffrage Association of Minnesota on Mr. Zueblin's schedule, at the special fee of \$100.00.

I am enclosing such publicity in regard to Mr. Zueblin as we have, also, his photograph. Under separate cover I am sending a cut for newspaper use.

Will you kindly confirm the data for this engagement on the enclosed card's returning at your convenience for our files?

We note the subject is to be "World Reorganization".

If you wish to reach Mr. Zueblin direct his address is:

c/o Mr. Chas. E. Hill, 6500 Loomis Blvd., Chicago, Illinois.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Clara Deland, Minnesota Woman's Suffrage Assoc., Minneapolis, Minn.

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Wabasha, Mino., Dec 4, 1918.

My dian me Veland, 
I wanted to tell you how much we appreciated your coming here and the ladies were delighted to see you again. I know you don't care so much about that as that we do the work that you have laid out for us. Now I shall do my best to see that it is carried on and that we shall tonot disappoint you. I hope you were not too tind before you got home last night. Hank-ing you again; I am,

204 9th Mooahead, Minn Dec, 4, 19/8 MOORHEAD, MINN - Mrs andreas Geland, Muneapolie Mun My dear mrs Euland, Luffrage meeting this evening I tald me Slevens that I would of moorhead. When I got home and tacked the matter over with Mr Garrity he thought I had attempted too much as my baby is only Right months sed and I have not one to leave ther with during the day so I called Mrs Hennes and told her that I couldn't furfing the blice;

JAMES A. GARRITY
... ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
MOORHEAD, MINN.

Her letter to your tecling of my acceptance of the chairman ship was in the mail so she wanted me to could to gown and tell you I didn't feel I could do justices to the course in my present circumstances, I am sending a check from mus Peterson and one from me.

Marquento E. Garrity.

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. C.A. Peterson, Henriette. Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Peterson:-Your letter to Mrs. Ueland has been turned over to me for attention and we are sending you a supply of petition blanks and literature under separate cover. It is too bad that you have not received this material sconer. It must have been lost in the mail or possibly even overlooked at the time our letter was sent to you. Occassionally we find our office overwhealmed with work which must be done in connection with this huge State wide petition. Because of the delay in getting this material, we will extend the time in which we would like to have this work finished. We are anxious to have all petitions in not later than January 1st. Thanking you for your assurance to do all you can to help, I remain, Yours very truly, Business Secretary. CH/AT.

December 5,1918 Dr. Marion LeRoy Burton, President of University of Minnesota Minneapolis, Minn. My dear President Burton: -I hasten to assure you that we think you are doing exactly right not to take upon yourself unnecessary outside activities. We understand that your duties must be almost overwhelming. We are very grateful and appreciative of the stand you have taken on woman suffrage. I am sure there is no doubt in the mind of anyone who knows you at all where you stand, and that is the test which after all counts. We hope sometime when the present confusing situation at the University and elsewhere clears up, that we may have the very great pleasure of hearing you at some special suffrage meeting. Sincerely yours, State President (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

December 5th, 1918. Miss Georgia Teskey, 921 University Ave., S.E., CITY. My dear Miss Teskey:-Miss Irene Benton writes us that you are in the city and we want to especially invite you to come to some of the sessions, if not all of our Annual State Convention which will be held December 12th, 13th and 14th at the Radisson Hotel. On Thursday evening we are to have Mr. Charles Zueblin of Boston speak. In addition, we also will have Mrs. Walter McNabb Miller of St. Louis and a number of speakers of note from the Twin Cities. Enclosed you will find a bulletin such as we are sending out in the State. Sincerely yours, Business Secretary. CH/AT.

December 5th, 1918. Miss Irene Benton, Granada, Minnesota. My dear Miss Benton:-We thank you so much for your petition we received this morning, containing the signatures of 88 women and 46 men. This brings your total of women's names above the quota and you will undoubtedly, get the additional 39 men's names needed to complete the men's quota - as you say in your letter you will keep on with the petition work. We will see that Miss Gerogia Terkey gets some sort of an invitation to our suffrage convention. We are all tremendously busy with the combined work of getting ready for the convention and this petition work, both in the State and city, so that I am not sure that someone can call there before next Thursday. How about yourself - will it not be possible for you to attend; For awhile it did seem that Red Cross was pushing out suffrage but as time went on, these same Red Cross and war workers have come more and more to see how necessary it is for women to have the power of the ballot. Thanking you, we remain, Sincerely yours, Business Secretary. CH/AT. P.S. If you need any additional literature or petition blanks, please write us.

December 5,1918 Mrs. C. M. Stockton, Faribault Hinnesota My dear Mrs. Stockton: -In regard to your response to the address of welcome, I do not believe I can give you any directions. Mrs.Simpson is going to say that we are very glad to see you and we want you and Mrs. Colton to say you are glad to be present, and anything else that may seem to you to be fitting. It will have to be pretty brief because the minister will be waiting with the invocation in the Gold Room at 10 o' clock. I am sure you will do the situation great credit. Won't you try to get some of the other Faribault women to come to the con vention? You probably noticed in the Bules letin sent out recently that we want to entertain out of town delegates and that the names are to be sent to Mrs. A. L. Searle, 1910 Logan Aye. S., Minneapolis. Sincerely yours, State President

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. John Schaeffer. Cedar, Route #2, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Schaeffer:-Thank you for the petition containing the names of 29 women and 17 men. We know what a lot of work this represents, especially since you live in the country. We think that you did very well - although it is too bad you did not have just three more men's signatures so as to reach your quota. If you can still get a few more signatures, you may be sure we will appreciate your efforts. Yours very truly, Business Secretary. CH/AT.

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. Walter Schmidt, West Concord, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Schmidt:-Your letter to Mrs. Ueland has been turned over to me for attention. We are sending you under separate cover literature and petition blanks for the work in West Concord. We hope you will have no difficulty at all in securing signatures of 85 men and 85 women. Te are trying to get our petition work finished on or before January 1st, so we appreciate your saying in your letter that you will send in your report soon. We are to hold our Annual State Convention in Minneapolis at the Hotel Radisson December 12th, 13th and 14th and cordially invite you and any other West Concord women to attend. Yours very truly, Business Secretary. CH/AT.

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. A.O. Stark, Harris, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Stark:-Thank you for the petitions containing the names of 21 women and 14 men. We are very much disappointed not to have a better representation from Marris. A petition which does not come up to the quota we assign, lowers cur percentage for the entire State. According to the State records you had 151 voters in Harris two years ago, so that our quota of 80 was a little better than half. We are enclosing herewith two of each petition blanks and earnestly hope you will secure a few more signatures. You probably are trying to do this elone. Do try and have the other members of your committee, Frs. Palmer and Mrs. Stalberg, help. If each of you would get 20 signatures of men and 20 of women in addition to those you already have you would more than meet your quota. We would like to have petitions in by January 1st. Thanking you for your co-operation, we are, Sincerely yours, Business Secretary. CH/AT.

December 5, 1918 Mrs. Eva Emerson Wold, Alexandria Minnesota My dear Mrs. Wold:-We have no provision in our constitution for delegates from other organizations, but you will be more than welcome just the same. We hope many of our best workers out in the state will come even though according to our constitution they will not be regular delegates. The trouble is our cause grows so rapidly that our constitution does not keep up The only difference, however, between with it. a delegate and a guest is that the delegates have a vote. I hardly think there will be any contest in the election this year as the general feeling is we are soon to be through with our work, and that we will keep the same Board members, if they are willing to serve. Sincerely yours. State President (Mrs. Andreas Veland)

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. E.E. Lloyd, Cleveland, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Lloyd:-I am so sorry to hear that you have had influenza in your home. I can readily understand that with your very young daughter you will not be able to do any actual canvassing for suffrage. Being reluctant to allow Cleveland to pass through without petitions of any sort, I am wondering whether you cannot persuade two or three other women to help you. You can act as Chairman, giving them material which we will send you and get them to solicit for signatures. We want only 40 names of women and 40 of men from Cleveland, which is only a little. better than half the number of voters in your village. In that way, you would not have to leave your home at all. I do not want to be too insistent, but we especially want petitions from Le Seuer County because the legislators from your district are apt to thank that women do not want to vote. Sincerely yours, Stale Bres (mino a lu) CH/AT.

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. W. George Hammet, Hawley, Minnesota's My dear Wrs. Hammet:-Cur ormanizer, Trs. Rens S towens, who was in your town recently writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Hawley. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to telp share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. ·Two years ago you had 193 voters in Tavley. We are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 100 men and 100 women. Hany of the towns are sending in petitions containing names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the term. I am hoping for a fine patition from Pawley. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th. Our Annual State Convention will be held December 12th, 13th and 14th in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Potel, and we hope you and a number of your women may attend. Sincerely yours, State President. (Mrs. Andreas Uel and)

December 5th, 1918. Mrs. Gwen Lamb, Dilworth, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Lamb:-Our organizer, Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town recently writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in bilworth. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnasota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new tates, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United S tates sonatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it hasrever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 190 voters in Dilworth. Te are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 100 men and 100 women. Many of the towns are sending in petitions containing names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from Bilworth, If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition work finished in your town by December 20th. Our Annual State Convention will be neld December 12th, 13th and 14th, in Minneapolis, at the Radisson Hotel, and we hope you and a number of your women may attend. incerely yours, State President. (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

Hotel Maryland Minneapolis Dec. 5th. 1918. Mrs. Clara Ueland 403 Essex Building Minneapolis Dear Clara: I have been thinking over the address of welcome at the suffrage breakfast which you kindly asked me to make, and I am very sure I do not want to do that. It is such a simple thing, I am sure you will find no difficulty in finding some one to do it. . Sincerely yours. Josephine S. Simpson Leslie Woman Suffrage Commission, Inc. CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT, PRESIDENT BUREAU OF SUFFRAGE EDUCATION ROSE YOUNG, DIRECTOR Department of Field Press Work MRS. ROSE LAWLESS GEYER, CHAIRMAN TELEPHONE: 4818 MURRAY HILL 171 Madison Avenue New York, Dec. 5,1918. Miss Clara M. Hechrich, 403 Essex Bldg.. Minnea polis. Minn. My dear Miss Hechrich:-Hurrah for the 50 subscriptions that are going to come out of your convention or shall I say 100? The fact that the magazine will be \$2.00 after January 1, makes it advisable for everyone to get in now. Can't you get every subscriber to the Citizen at the convention to take out one for a friend. In that way you would get around any excuse that might be offered that the person already is a subscriber. Renewals do not count in the contest. In that way you would add many new subscribers and these, added to those in the convention who are not already on our list, would make a grand showing for Minnesota. The 300 subscription blanks will go forward today also a little bundle of back numbers. When this week's magazine comes out, which will be Friday or Saturday morning, we will send you a dozen copies immediately. I am sending the others so you may have a few extra to show what we look like. I do so hope you can put on a fine big number of new subscribers. Yours for success. Rose Geyes RG/F

ABSOLUTELY FIRE PROOF EUROPEAN PLAN \$1.00 AND UP Hotel Comstock FOREST E. BALDWIN Moorhead, Minn. My Dear Miss Heakich Instead of doing try towns in the nest country Iday Mrs. Peterson and I have fuffin the day trying to get a chairman here - They train learns at 10 samething and up fintil ten me are still searching Send mail after receipt of this to Hadens . - I probably show the there before Monday but I mean to try hard to get there by than time Sind me of few sheets (3 n4 each) of the fetilion - I'ver, given mysoples Harlily yours

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[67] December 6, 1918 Mrs. John W. Murdock, Wabasha, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Murdock: --I do not remember the name of the lady you thought would be chairman of our Ratification Committee in Wabasha, so we are sending you instructions, literature and petition blanks. Will you please turn them over to her. I am sure you will keep a watchful eye that the work goes well in Wabasha. Please ask the chairman of the committee to send us the names of her helpers. I neglected to make a note of the names that I got yesterday. I want to tell you again how very pleasant your meeting was yesterday. only confirms what I knew before, that there are very many fine women in your town. On the way to Lake City I was successful in getting Mrs. M. J. O'Laughlin to be the chairman of the Lake City committee, and all of the women with the exception of one from that town promised to help her, so I feel very hopeful that Wabasha County will have a fine petition. We have placed you on what we are calling "The Budget for Minnesota - Round Table". Mrs. Charles P. Noyes and you and Mrs. Davidson of Waseca will take part, Mrs. Noyes taking the lead. This is not a particularly agreeable subject perhaps, but I am sure you are used to doing necessary things. The point we want to bring out is

that our suffrage work has been too much a Twin City affair, and that the other counties will want to help share the burden. Mrs. Noyes will prepare a financial plan and we want to submit it to the convention. The plan is that the Hennepin County will try to raise 5,000, Ramsey County \$3,000 and that the different counties in the state will try to raise for state work from \$25.00 to \$100.00 each. If you want to talk against this plan that will make it only the more interesting, but please do be ready to make the discussion go. I am enclosing herewith a memorandum with reference to the petition work. Sincerely yours, State President (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

The Merchants Hotel The Leading Hotel In Wadena

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1013 Fullerton Bldg., St. Louis, Mo., December 6, 1918.

Mrs. Andreas Ueland. 403 Exsex Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

My dear Mrs. Ueland:

You vertainly have a program laid out for me and I only hope that I can measure up to it. "The dawn of a new day" is a wonderful subject and one that would inspire a clam.

As for publicity, you have my past record of course, and a year ago I was appointed by Mr. Hoover as one of the National speakers and went through several of the Southern states with his special coterie of war speakers. Beatrice Forbes Robinson Hale and Mrs. Pennybacker were two of the other speakers. Each went with a team of two men and one woman. The nI was appointed Chairman of the Hoover registration work of the state and special agent under the Food Administration. Later, Chairman of food conservation of the state of the Women's Committee Council of National Defense. Since December 1st, I have the great pleasure to be working with my husband as Associate Secretary, of the State Tuberculosis Association.

I think that covers everything that one could possibly wish to say about me andit sounds much more than it really is.

Looking forward with pleasure to seeing you and talking over the work in which we are both so interested, I am

Very condially yours.

Felen Gutrie Miller

HGM. VS

Dece, ber 7, 1918 Miss Mabel Ury, Boston, Mass. My dear Miss Ury: -We have just telegraphed you saying that our State Suffrage Convention has been called off on account of the influenza epidemic. We have written Mr. Zueblin at the address you gave in Chicago to this effect. We are very sorry indeed not to have carried out our plans, and sorry that we are not to have the pleasure of hearing Mr. Zueblin. Yours very truly, Business Secretary

Dec. 7, 1918 Mr. Charles Zueblin, Chicago, Illinois My dear Mr. Zueblin: --We have been obliged today to take action postponing indefinitely our suffrage convention. This on account of a ban on all state meetings passed by the state Board of Health. We have telegraphed Miss Mabel Ury cancelling the engagement with you. I cannot tell you how sorry we are to have to do this. We were looking forward with a great deal of pleas ure to hearing you and very many of our delegates are especially disappointed on your account. I hope we may hear you on some future occasionswhen all of this con fusion of this day caused by the end of the war, and influenza and forest fires is over. With very pleasant recollec tions of the times that I have met you formerly, I am, Sincerely, State President (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

December 7,1918 Mrs. John Murdock, Wabasha Minnesota My dear Mrs. Murdock: -We have been obliged to call off our suffrage convention. This is on account of the influenza ban placed upon all state meetings by the Board of Health. It is a great pity as we had planned a very interesting meeting. We are especially disappointed not to meetiwith many of the out of town women who we hoped would come to the convention. Sincerely yours, (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

20 December 7,1918 Avvocessa Teresa Labriola, 57 Via Leccisa, Rome My dear Madam President: -our Suffrage Association had the pleasure today of hearing your countrywoman, the Countess Loschi, speak on the suffrage situation in Italy. She told us of your association and that you expected soon to have a The following resolution meeting. was adopted: "Mesolved, that we send greetings and love and best wishes for the success of woman suffrage in Italy." Sincerely yours, State President (Mrs. Andreas Weland)

December 7,1918 Mrs. Walter Mc Nab Miller. Columbia Missouri My dear Mrs. Miller At a Board Meeting this morning, we were obliged to call off our suffrage convention. This is on account of the ban placed on all state meetings by the State Board of Health. I cannot tell you how sorry I am that we are not to have the pleasure of seeing you. It is all very disappointing because we had althogram worked out and many interesting speakers. But I am especially sorry that we cannot have the pleasure of a visit from you. I may be at another time when the confusion caused by the end of thewar, the influenza and our Great fires is passed, we may have the pleasure of having you with us. Sincerely yours, State President

December 7,1918. Mrs. C. V. Everett Redwood Falls Minnesota My dear Mrs. Everett:-Awfully sorry to have to tell you that our State Convention has to be postponed because of the influenza situation. There is a ban on all state gatherings, and of course our convention comes under that heading. We did not know un-til noon on Saturday that we could not hold this convention. Mrs. Searle just tlephoned that you had written her that Mrs. Hall and you were planning on being here, so that we hasten to let you know by letter; although cards are already on the way to you giving this information. Sincerely yours, Business Sec'y.

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for signers there is very for. all our country district is composed of germans and almost to a person, they refuse to sign, but man giving as a reason, that the women would vale for prohibition if your the vale. I have asked to have them all sie By the 15th of this month and will forward to you Hoping for the macess of the cause, I am Very loudy yours If for since Est. Miller

Mrs Warren miller.

51 st d. D Nadena County Dec 8- 1918. Mrs. Hattie Illingworth (Mrs. Frank) Chairman Leo. Whitney, (Selas this time) L.A. Mathewer (husband ill.) James Bay & Herbert Sawlelle Sam Doner J. S. Taylor W.J. Bland Tield House: A.A. Johnson (N.P.L.) Sebeka - defeated of the (Hadena) Proneer Journal Said Verity reports himsely as very sensibly and justly dead agen Homen Suffrage especially roman. However the junior member of the firm who consider the question on open issue eail he would be glad to run the little story of our meeting together with my cut -

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our helpers I think a necessary to explain the shortoge The spidenie g Luflreriga which has been still is raging here prevented the committee from wite after the 20th of november. The last teld weeks we how convosed the town as thoroughly as possifly, many houses still fring meder quer. auteur. To mope a conyou of the country districts was entirely out g the question at the present time,

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Fiederal amendment and its ratification. Hoping om efforts here will be some little help, Law, Very Respectfully, Box a Marx. Box 87. (Mrs. Hebert P. Mary.)

Dec. 9th, 1918. Mrs. H.P. Philips, Mahnomen, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Philips:-Our organizer, Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was recently in Detroit, writes us that she phoned you regarding suffrage affairs in Mahnomen. In her report she instructed this office to send material to Mrs. V.V. Dryden, President of the Reservation Club. She also stated that you would "sponser the cause of the petitions." Frs. Stevens will be in Minmeapolis on Wednesday and will undoubtedly give us further advise. In the weantime, however, we have sent both you and Mrs. Dryden, literature, petition blanks, etc., presuming that you would decide between you as to what disposition you will make. Two years ago you had 193 voters in Wahnoman so we are giving you a quota of 100 men's signatures plus 100 women signatures. This State- ide petition is meeting. with favorable response on every hand throughout the State. We trust that you will have no difficuly in making your quota. Thanking you for your co-operation, I am, Yours very truly, State President. (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

December 9,1918 MissLeonora F. Bauer, Detroit, Minnesota My dear Miss Bauer: --Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town a few days ago, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Detroit . I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the elee tion throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new states, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States Senatorial situation is more favorable toto suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 626 voters in Detroit. We are therefore asking that you secure the signatures of 325 men and 325 women. Many of the Minnesota towns are sending in splendid petitions, far more than reaching their quota. Mrs, Stevens wrote us that you could not undertake this work until after the Holidays: which will please us very much indeed. We may probably present our petition by the middle of January, so we hope you will be able to have your petitions ready to turn in at that time. Sincerely yours, (Mrs. Andreas Ueland)

December 9,1918 Miss Rose Geyer, 171 Madison Ave. New York City My dear Miss Geyer:-I am afraid we both crowed too soon regarding the subscriptions that were to come out of our convention; for the convention has had to be indefinitely postponed because of the influence epidemic breaking out anew. They have put a ban on all State meetings because the situation is so bad in many of our smaller towns. We will, however, save the sub-scription blanks (if necessary) until the time when the convention is held, and will try to distribute the Woman Citizen that you are sending among doctor's offices, etc. I too wish we could send you a lot of new subscribers. Sincerely yours,

December 9,1918 Mrs. H. M. Wheelock, Fergus Falls, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Wheelock: --I think you have done wonders with your ratification work in Fergus Falls. It is a splendid petition of women. You certainly may keep the petition of voters for as long a time as is necessary to get the signatures of all that are favorable. If the Federal Amendment should be cassed by the Senate, Mrs. Catt asks us to have our legislature ratify the second week in January. If the vote is not taken, we cannot, of course, carry out this program and can work at our petitionsunfortunately- for an indefinite time. I am glad you told me about Mr. Adams, and I will bear it in mind. I am surprised because in some way I took it for granted he was heartily with us. As it happens, we have no predge from him. a matter of fact, however, we have pledges from a very comfortable majority of the members of both houses. While we are sure of a majority, nevertheless, to be ready for any contingency, we want to assure ourselves of every possible vote. After all our planning, we cannot hold our Annual State Convention this week because of the influenza. The ban on state meetings has been enforced, and we had to postpone our convention indefinitely. What with influenza and forest fires our ratification work has been seriously interfered with ; but for that matter what has

not. We cannot complain.

Thanking you for your efficient co-

Sincerely yours,

State President

(Mrs. Andreas Veland)

December 9th, 1918. Frs. Anna Gatos, Woorhead, Minnesot .. My dear Mrs. Gates:-Our organizer, 'rs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Moorhead. I want to ess re you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more important still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal Suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Two years ago you had 927 voters in Corhead. We are, therefore, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 465 men and 465 woman. Many of the towns are sending in patitions containing names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from Moorhead. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this patition work finished in your town by bhe end of the month. Yours very trul % State President. (Mrs. Andreas eland)

December 9th, 1918. Mrs. C.M. Hastings, Verndale, Minnesota. My dear Mrs. Hastings:-Our organizer, Mrs. Rene Stevens, who was in your town recently, writes me that you will take charge of our suffrage ratification work in Verndale. I want to assure you of my appreciation of your willingness to help share the very great responsibility of getting suffrage through in Minnesota. The suffrage situation since the election throughout the country is most encouraging. Three new States, South Dakota, Michigan and Oklahoma, have been added to the full suffrage states; and more importent still, the United States senatorial situation is more favorable to suffrage since the recent election than it has ever been. So the prospects of the Federal suffrage Amendment being passed within a few months are very bright. Te are, asking that you secure the signatures of at least 50 mon and 50 women. Many of the towns are sending in petitions containing names of almost every man and woman of voting age in the town. I am hoping for a fine petition from Verndale. If it is at all possible, we would like to have this petition mer finished in your town by the end of the month. Yours very truly, (Mrs. Andreas Weland) State President.

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Dilworth, Mirm. Dec. 9th, 1918, Mrs. Clare Ulland, Mineapolie, Minn. My dear Mrs, Yeland, Thru some little misunderstanding either on Mrs. Stevens part or ou nine, my name appears as chairman for Dibrorth in the Campaign for signere for the votes for women petition. I promiseded to advertise the meeting for last I hunsday also to see that any literature on the subject was distributed. I did both but that that the chairmen would be appointed at the meeting. However I have taken the liberty to ask Ming. E. Dowd It take this place instead of me and hope this will meet with the approval of Mrs. Stevens and yourself, While in perfect sympathy with the movement and will do whatever can to further it, I have neither the time not strength to take any active part on committees etc. and as Dilworth is primarily a railroad, mais town I feel that a railroad man's wife will be able to do more with this than I could do. If this meets with your approval, please send further correspondence to Mrs. J. E. Dowd, (Dilworth, Minn) - Thishing you all success law very sincerely, Mrs. Onew M. Lamb.

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December 10,1918 Mrs. H. M. Smith. Rushford. Minnesota My dear Mrs. Smith: --I wish to thank you and congratulate you. The petition you sent in certainly shows that you as well as your committee worked enthusiastically, as you say. We cannot help but say "would that all committee chairmen would take such interest and send in returns in such good time", although we must add that in the long run our petitions are coming in very satisfactorily. Unfortunately, because of the influenza the ban on all State meetings forbids our having our Annual State Convention in Minne-apolis this week, as we had planned. Such activities will have to be indefinitely postponed. Thanking you again for your efficient co-operation, I am, Sincerely yours, State President (Mrs. Andreas Veland)

December 10,1918 Mrs. John Serrin, Glenwood, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Serrin:-Thank you for the petitions left in our office last week, containing names of 90 women and 85 men. I am sorry I was not there to meet you. Miss Heckrich is under the im pression that several of your workers have not as yet turned in their finished peti-We do hope this is the case. tions. In looking up our records, we find that we included the township of Glenwood when we assigned you 350 names. That was in error and your quota really should be only 260 signatures of men and 260 of women. Will you not therefore try to reach those figures? . A canvass like this really amounts to the same thing as an election inso far as making politicians "see the light." Invariably politicians will do as the majority wishes, if they can ascertain the wishes of the so-called majority. Of course, there are everyso many people who believe in suffrage who have not an opportunity to sign such a petition. That is why we suggest a house to house canvass in all towns. We appreciate the work you have done in Glenwood, and hope that the balance of petitions still in the hands of the workers will bring the total up to the above figures. If they do not total that amount, will you ask your workers to keep on a while longer? You might even put on a few new workers.

Mrs. John Serrin

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Thanking you for the interest you have taken in suffrage for women, I am,

Sincerely yours,

State President

(Mrs. Andreas Veland) .

December 10,1918 Mrs. P. A. White, Bemidji, Minnesota My dear Mrs. White: -I want to thank you for your cordial co-operation in our ratification work in Beltrami County. I think you have done remarkably well under the circumstan-You have gone over your quota with ces. women . We know very well what a handicap the influenza is to our petition work - in fact to all kinds of work, and we are correspondingly pleased when we find that our committees even in the face of such diffi-culties send in good petitions. If our amendment is not passed by the Senate in December, we may have some weeks in which to work after the Holidays. In that case you and your committee may be able to increase the size of your petition. Thank you so much for the check We are more than grateful for for \$40.00. this contribution. Mrs. J.H. Hermanson of Kelliher sent in a petition with names of 50 women and 37 men and Mrs. James Reed of Black Duck sent in signatures of 29 women and 24 men. We acknowledged receipt of both of these petitions and asked Mrs. Hermanson to get signatures of 15 more women and 28 more men so as to bring the number up to the quota of 65. We asked Mrs. Reed to secure names of 51 more women and 56 more men. We are grateful to you for getting these women to do this petition work. Sincerely yours, (Mrs. Andreas Ueland) President

December 10,1918 Mrs. C. Johnson, Lyle Minnesota My dear Mrs. Johnson: --We thank you for your petition with names of 74 women and 22 men. We know this means hard work. Do not think we fail to appreciate your efforts, but we are going to ask you to secure signatures of 33 more men - that will bring your petition up to the quota of 65. You had 120 voters in Lyle two years ago, and with signatures of only 22 out of this number it might appear that the voters of Lyle were not in favor of woman suffrage, and with so many women in favor, we can hardly believe that is the case. It is undoubtedly harder to reach the men in order to get them to sign. but we believe you can get just 33 more. Thanking you for your co-operation. I am, Sincerely yours, State President (Mrs. Andreas Veland)

Dec. 10, 1918 Mrs. H. P. Marx, Shakopee, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Mart: --Thank you so much for your efforts in Shakepee. We understand that Shakepee is rather a difficult place when it comes as to suffrage, and we also understand how very much the influenza has interfered with the The same thing has happened petition work. all over the state. If we should be so fortunate to have our suffrage amendment passed by the Benate before Christmas, we would have to hand in the petition the second week of Janu-ary; if not, we will keep on with the petition work still longer in January, - in fact until the Senate does pass the emendment. So that it may be that you and your committee will have an opportunity to try to get your quota. You have a good number of women signers -- 204 . I am hopeful that under more favorable cir cumstances you would have been able to get the signatures of 60 more women. In that case you would have your full quota. You mobably could get someemore signatures of men also if you has more time. We understand that we cannot expect more work now until after the Holidays. I assure you I appreciate your efforts in Shakopee. I did not dare hope we would get such good results. Sincerely yours, (Mrs. Andreas Ueland) State President

December 10,1918 Mrs. James Reed. Blackduck, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Reed:-We are very grateful to you for your petition containing names of 29 women and 24 men. We know that this means hard work. Do not think we fail to appreciate your efforts, but we are going to ask you to secure signatures of 51 more women and 56 more men. When you have obtained these you will have met the quota assigned to Blackduck -- that is a bare majority. We aim to show our legislators that wherever a petition of this sort has been circulated, a majority of the men and women of voting age are in favor. We cannot, of course, reach every yillage and town in the state, so that it important that those towns which do circulate petitions send in full quotas. I believe you were not given a quota when Mrs. White wrote you. If you need additional petition blanks, literature, etc., we will be only too glad to forward it, if you will write us. In fact, to be on the safe side, we are enclosing additional petition blanks. Thanking you for your assistance in helping put suffrage through in Minnesota, we are, Sincerely yours,

December 10,1918 Mrs. J. H. Hermanson, Kelliher, Minnesota My dear Mrs. Hermanson: --We are grateful to you for the petition you sent in from Kelliher with signatures of 50 women and 37 men. We know this represents hard work. Do not think we fail to appreciate your efforts, but we are going to ask you to secure the names of 15 more women and 28 more men. When you have obtained these you will have met the quota assigned to Kelliher -that is, a bare majority. We aim to show our legislators that wherever a petition of this sort has been circulated, a majority of the men and women of voting age are in favor. As a matter of fact, we believe that the majority is in favor, everywhere, but that it is merely a matter of reaching all those who are in favor. We cannot, of course, reach every village and town in the state, so it is important that all towns where such a petition is circulated gets its quota of signatures. After all, 15 and 28 will not be so difficult after having had such a good start. Thanking you for your co-operation. I am, Sincerely yours,

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Faribault Munn. Dromber 10.1918. My dear Mrs. Welauf:

I miter stand that the Vace to Conneif of Dofances Committee have a purlie merting Thursday worning (the 12th), preliminary to a Key cross membership dreice at which this. Winter is to speak. The is much worn, Law toly, and positionly reguses to do anything out come in there for the meeting any reury as soon as possible afterward. In other words Jan sure I should not be are to sprak with her before her meeting. If you could find teme aux offortunele would it seems to you wise for you to see

J. W. Andrews, Mankato or treesphore her basking her, in her sion techtif mipress upon the county Chairman If whose refusaled to lend me their and by whom ther. Whiles

undouttedly be rule claimed the cordiality which showed Exist between three and the suffrage organizations? Our road is sufficiently up-grade so that I want et least the minule cordiale. If Mus. Winter would be willing to say at her meeting that who hoped the Council of Defuese womin movidually, though not in their capacity es committee-women, would help with the felilion work it would be an immerciable busite to the suffrage cause how. When our organization has mobilized two hundred women (about ) in a small city like faritable, if there women feel they are thereby excused from or sout out from other important work, it is a fear ful handicafe to any The women's auxiliary of the Episcopal Church turned down our resolution (act week (is votel it against itil don't mean that they request to put it to Total. That is indicaline of the sentement of there. Theopolal and women in general of that closer , of I may not the terry - Though I am very sure that Mr. Theopold will wish Mrs. Winter to believe Ther a suffragist I am overy this is such a parasual sounding telles. If course it is confidented except as you may wish to use it with This, winter. Lane sorry too, to and suglling to this.

Winters burden. Perhaps you will theile dest not to to it. It merely seemed are unusual offortensity to alleviate a very desheartening condition in an innocuous way", according to your suggestion ny your telly to me. Thank you for your role about my response" at the convention beekfast. It was just what I wanted; I did not know that it was to be a response to an hodreas of wilcome. Now, to be sure, it toes not signify. have board and some of the valification com-Smirrely and most regralfully (esto consumber on) Mariline 1. Stocklon (Mis. Clu. Striklon) What Mer. winter might be willing to vay of for us of course than the effort with the harman par vouelly.

CHARLES ZUEBLIN BOSTON 26 PEMBERTON SQUARE MABEL B. URY, MANAGER TELEPHONE HAYMARKET 4278 Dec. 10, 1918. My dear Miss Heckrich: I regret with you the necessity of cancelling your plans to have Mr. Zueblin address the Minnesota Woman's Suffrage Association; but we, of course, quite understand the necessity of doing this because of the epidemic. I hope that at some future time I may be able to give you the opportunity of having him address your Association. If you are planning to hold your meeting at a later date will you not let me know? Very truly yours, Waled B. Ury Miss Clara M. Heckrich. 403 Essex Bldg.. Minneapolis, Minn. GA:EJ Enc. Z ed Oct B

Eden Valley Inn Dee 10 th-1918 Mrs. Bara Wiland. Minura Bolis Muire my dear Mik Urland. On han more have our quota of fromme Letition but not quite the required number on the meur. muld like to hold it afin days untild han the required humbers

In also have a resolution Fassed by a localaid Society and one by our Red Frank auxilian I milfaind him all un a firsdays. Your Succerely Mr. F. C. meier

Luverne, Minne. DEC. 10-1918, Clara W. Heckrich. Minneafolik. your letter of DEC, 4, at hand, I fear there will be no delegates from Rock Co, towns to attend the conventione. Everything has been closed here for more than any weeks. Schools ofened last Monday but may be clased agame. Influenza seems to be taking a fresh start, Will do what I care but am quite aure there will be no one from Luverne. Am sarry conditions are so unforosable Sincerely fourt. Mers. P. M. Lillham.

North Branch Mun DEC 10 -1918. Min Auffrage association. Euclosed you will find list of one hundred and Jourty Jim 1451 manues, Lydia Hernied .. Mar Rothweiler H. J. J .. Olive anderson. "Lavinnie & Holmberg Chairman 57 men 88 yours 145