# SUFFRAGE COMMITTEE WORKING FOR MOVING PICTURE PLAY

Reading from left to right—in body of car—Mrs. G. Harvey Clarke, Mrs. R. K. Flannagan, Miss Nora Houston, Mrs. John Armstead, Mrs. Alice Overbey Taylor, Mrs. D. E. Booker, Mrs. Charles V. Meredith and Mrs. Georgia May Jobson. Outside car—Miss Adele Clarke, Mrs. Archer Jones, Mrs. John Garland Pollard, Mrs. Carter Wormley, Mrs. Earnest Meade, Miss Linda Koiner, Mrs. Stuart Reynolds, Mrs. W. H. Urquhart and Mrs. W. V. Foster.

## YOUR GIRL AND MINE IN FICTION AND FACT

### Suffragists and Social Workers Enlist Public Interest in Her Behalf.

### NEED MINIMUM WAGE LAW

### Motion Picture of Suffrage Play at Colonial Theatre This Week—Social Service Conference Opens Two-Day Session To-Morrow.

When suffrage was taken from the funny papers and given place in the news columns of the dailies, the women who are working for the ballot felt that much had been accomplished.

Now the "movies" have taken it up, so women know they are in sight of their goal and have stopped asking, "Will you let us vote," and are saying, "How are you going to let us vote?"

When it was announced that the suffrage play, "Your Girl and Mine," would be seen in Richmond at the Colonial Theatre this week, members of the Equal Suffrage League of Richmond were delighted, and Mrs. B. B. Valentine, president of the league, said: "There is no better way for the public to have a concrete illustration of woman's need for the ballot than for it to see this play."

**SUFFRAGISTS BUSY EXTENDING THEIR CREED**

So each suffragist appointed herself a committee of one to tell her aunt and indifferent friends about it. In addition to this a committee was appointed to see that people got tickets. Mrs. C. V. Meredith is chairman of the ticket committee, and she and her committee members have been stationed to the stores along Broad Street selling tickets during the week. The camera man got a very successful shot at the committee on one excursion as it rounded in in a big motor car in front of the Washington Monument in Capital Square, with banners flying and the yellow streamers proclaiming "Votes for Women" in no uncertain tone.

The picture, "Your Girl and Mine," in a unofficial way is as dramatic and full of action as the usual moving picture play, and its underlying action is based on the fact that working women and children in the United States, the girl who works for less than a living wage, the mother who toils and shares equally with her father in the guardianship of her child, and various other statutes which do injustice to women, and which suffragists believe should be repealed and will be when women vote.

Miss Margaret Winchester, of Chicago, who spoke to the Suffrage League Thursday, was roundly applauded when she said that a minimum wage law for women has been put into effect in Chicago since women have voted. No woman who works may be paid less than a living wage, and that wage is $8 per week. Her statement was made in answer to the question, "Do working women earn enough to live?" "They do," she replied, "and a minimum wage law is the reason."

**WHAT RICHMOND IS DOING FOR GIRLS WHO EARN LESS THAN $8**

While waiting for a vote to help straighten up such matters, the women of Richmond have been by no means idle. The Stuart a new boarding home for girls, just opened by the Social Service Federation, at 306 South Cherry Street, has none of its unwritten laws that no girl who earns more than $8 a week may have a home there. The board per week is $2.50, and it is especially for young girls, one of the last things about it is that no girl out of work will be turned away. She will be allowed to stay there if she should lose her position until the committee finds another place for her.

The Nurses' Settlement boarding house on Beech Street is conducted on the same lines, but there is not enough room to accommodate all the girls who would like to stay there. The house adjoining could be rented at a nominal figure, and settlement workers for an opportunity to take it over. It could be run under the same management, they say, and cost much less than to launch a house in some other neighborhood. Mrs. Mary Whitehouse Schneider is the matron of the present home and Miss Sarah Roller, the probation officer, makes her home there. Through Miss Roller this work is directly linked up with the Juvenile Court, and many a girl without a job finds her way to the settlement home, and eventually to a position.

**GOVERNOR STUART TO ADDRESS SOCIAL SERVICE CONFERENCE**

A wave of public interest in the welfare of girls has swept over this city following the revelations of conditions in Richmond's segregated vice district, which has just been closed by the authorities, and the several phases of the work that is being done in Richmond and elsewhere will be brought out at the two days' conference of the Social Service Federation, which opens in this city to-morrow.

Local workers will speak at the meeting Monday afternoon in the House of Delegates. These include J. Hoge Ricks, probation officer on Juvenile Court work, Miss Lucy Mason, extension secretary of the Y. W. C. A.; Miss Marie Leahy, on the boarding home idea; Mrs. Mary W. Schneider, of the Nurses' Settlement Home, and Dr. J. T. Mastin, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections.

Mrs. Martha Falconer, of the Sleighton Farm for Girls, in Pennsylvania, will be the chief speaker at the evening session. She will be introduced by Governor Stuart. Mrs. Falconer has been a worker among delinquent girls, and at a recent meeting of the Pennsylvania State Federation of Women's Clubs the girls at Sleighton Farm were hostesses to the visiting club women, and gave a finished entertainment for their benefit.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Falconer will hold a meeting for women in the Seventh Street Christian Church, and Tuesday evening R. M. Little, who is prominent in social work in Philadelphia, will address the conference at the same place. He will be introduced by Rev. W. A. Cooper, president of the Richmond Council of Social Workers. Mrs. Georgia May Jobson will preside at these meetings.

## CULPEPER

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

CULPEPER, VA., February 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Fray left on Sunday for a trip to Jacksonville, St. Augustine and other points in Florida, where they expect to spend several days. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Johnson also left for a trip through Florida, and the other Southern States.

The Fancy Work Club was delightfully entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Walter Minter at her home, on East Street, when, in addition to the club members, there were present Mrs. Charles Hood, Mrs. Samuel Rixey, Mrs. Irma Edwards and Mrs. Lee Dade. After an afternoon spent in work, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her cousin, Mrs. Edwards.

On last Thursday Mrs. Lee Dade was hostess at a luncheon at her apartments on Main Street, when she entertained in compliment to her house guest, Miss Beulah Terrell, of Lynchburg. Covers were laid for sixteen, and the table and room decorations were in crimson carnations and ferns. Miss Terrell has since left for a visit to friends in Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Willis, who have been visiting relatives in the county since their return from their honeymoon, left yesterday for their home, in Montgomery, W. Va. Turpin Willis, a recent graduate of a Richmond business college, has also gone to Montgomery, where he will engage in business.

Miss Jean and Helen Coons are spending several weeks with friends at The Plains in Fauquier. Mrs. Marion Metz, of Fauquier, who was a recent guest of Mrs. Charles Fant, of Jamesons Hill, has returned home.

Rev. Robert S. Carter, of Orange, preached at the midweek lenten service here this week, taking the place of the Rev. Frank Burks, of Manassas, who was prevented on account of the illness of his daughter.

Miss Lizzie Leavell, of Fauquier, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Leavell, on Piedmont Street. Miss Blanche Leavell, who recently visited her sister, Miss Louise Leavell, at the normal at Harrisonburg, returned home the first of the week.

Mrs. Oscar Edgerton, of Petersburg, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robertson, on Jamesons Hill.

Mr. Charles Harper, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with his brother, Rev. L. F. Harper, at the manse.

A fishing party, consisting of Pink Law, Henry Walton, Orville Loving, Mercer Jennings, Colonel S. M. Newhouse and Dr. A. S. Rixey tried their luck in the Rapidan River, near Rapidan station, on Tuesday, but found the season still most too early for good sport.

Mrs. Charles Donnally, of Louisa, and Mrs. Oscar Quaintance and Miss Mabel Quaintance, of Slate Mills, were guests this week of Mrs. Claude Royston.

Mrs. A. C. Johnson and Mrs. C. E. Wann, both of Washington, were guests for the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Wagner at "The Lodge." Miss Vera Wagner, of Philadelphia, is now visiting them, and has given much pleasure by her beautiful rendering of sacred music in several of the local churches.

M. M. Green, who was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Tate, is now spending several days at his home, in Warrenton, before returning to Richmond for the remainder of the legislative session. Judge John Rathbone, who has been holding court here for the past two weeks, is also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tate.

Mrs. Fletcher and Miss Frankie Dudley, of Rappahannock, were guests for the first of the week of Mrs. Raleigh T. Green, at "Green Lawn." Mrs. Fletcher going later for a visit to friends in Orange.

## CREWE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

CREWE, VA., February 27.—One of the most enjoyable events of the social season in Crewe was the subscription took party given under the auspices of the Nottoway Chapter, U. W. C., at the residence of Mrs. T. E. Oliver on Thursday evening. About forty guests enjoyed the pleasant game from 8:30 to 11 o'clock, when refreshments were served. Mrs. Oliver was assisted in receiving by Mesdames Smithson, Wheary and Beville.

Miss Geraldine Graham, of Williamsburg, spent the week-end at her home.

Miss Eula Atkins, of Blackstone, is the guest of Mrs. C. S. Smithson.

Miss Mary Pond, of Wake Forest, spent the week-end with Mrs. Roy Bradshaw. Together they visited Miss Mary Pond, of the State Normal, Farmville.

The Daughters of the Confederacy are planning to entertain the district convention in April.

Rev. J. Smith, of Norton, has declined the call to the Baptist church here.

Mrs. J. F. Fireshects returned to her home in Halifax County on Thursday, after a visit to relatives here.

R. B. Vaughan has been a recent guest of his uncle, T. B. Oliver.

Miss Aclise Wilson has returned from a visit to friends in Norfolk.

Phil Crannis has been confined to his bed with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Richard Crannis has been brought home from the Johnston-Willis Hospital, Richmond, and is rapidly recovering.

W. A. Rut is still ill with fever.

Howard Harper is steadily improving, after a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shorter are with their daughter, Mrs. Loyd, who is ill in Danville.

Richard Scott, of Chilhowie, has been a recent guest of his cousin, Mrs. T. B. Oliver.

Mrs. Farrar Verser gave a "shoe social" on Thursday evening for the benefit of the Baptist Church fund.

The women of the Presbyterian Church will give a play called the "Suffragette Convention" in the near future.

## COLUMBIA

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

COLUMBIA, VA., February 27.—The Jeffersonian Literary Society held its regular meeting in the auditorium of the high school on Friday evening. The program consisted of an "Evening With Our National Songs," a history of each song being given, followed by the song as a chorus. Five pupils impersonating the countries at war told in a very striking manner the reason for their part in the present great conflict. The last number on the program was a quartet, "Home, Sweet Home," by Miss Lucy Mosby, soprano; Miss Nellie Payne, alto; G. H. Huckstep, tenor, and G. P. Hodgson, bass.

Mrs. Nathan Cowherd and children, Virginia and Tom, were recent guests of relatives here.

Miss Louise Bowles is spending the week-end in Richmond.

T. R. Willard left this week for Newport News, Norfolk and other points.

Miss Edwinia Cowherd spent several days in Richmond this week, and attended a performance of "Il Trovatore" at the Academy of Music.

Rev. J. J. White was the guest of friends here on Wednesday, en route to Richmond.

## BOWLING GREEN

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BOWLING GREEN, VA., February 27.—George O. Roper has returned to his home at Williamsport, N. J., after a visit to his sister, Mrs. Sallie W. Rains.

Mrs. Joel Hains and Mrs. T. C. Valentine spent this week in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. T. B. Gill spent a part of this week in Richmond.

W. Moncure Gravatt, of Blackstone, spent a part of this week with his grandparents, Judge and Mrs. E. C. Moncure.

Major T. Dallas Coghill spent a portion of this week in Richmond, with his daughters, Mrs. W. C. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

Carroll Kay has returned to Richmond after a visit to his mother.

Mrs. A. B. Chandler, Jr., of Fredericksburg, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chandler.

W. E. Ennis spent a part of this week in Philadelphia.


## ERUPTION ON SIDE ITCHED FEARFULLY

### Felt as Though On Fire. Couldn't Bear Anything to Touch It. Used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. Skin Cleared and No Trace of Trouble Left.

R. F. D. No. 3, Lexington, Okla.—"I had a severe eruption on my right side which was about four inches wide and extended half way around my body. It came suddenly, was bright scarlet in color and I felt as though I was on fire all the time. The eruptions commenced exactly like prickly heat and looked like it. They itched fearfully. I couldn't bear anything to touch me at all.

"I sent at once for a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment and my relief dated from the first application; I slept that night for the first time in days. I washed the eruptions well with the Cuticura Soap, dried them and applied the Cuticura Ointment. It was not long before the skin cleared and no trace of the disease was left." (Signed) Mrs. W. W. Harbison, October 27, 1914.

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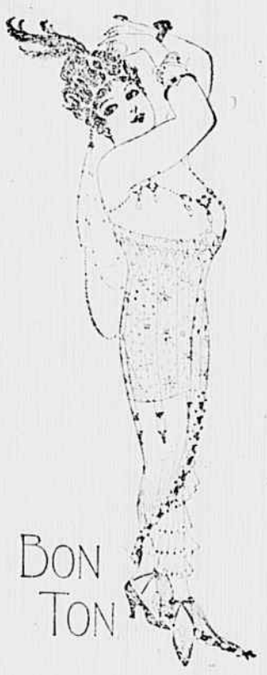

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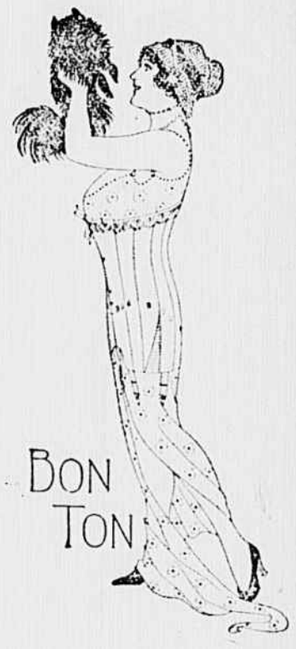

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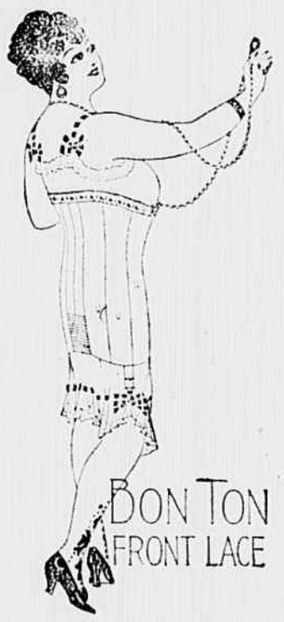

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## Women's New Silk Dresses Are Rushing In

The variety of the new fashions seems, literally, endless. Prices run from $12.75 upward.

To-day your attention is called to a large number of styles at $24.75, including crepe meteors, in sand, rose color and the new green. They have the new shirred, high waistline, chiffon sleeves, chiffon-trimmed waist, lace vest and circular skirt.

Another style at the same price, $24.75, is shown in Belgian blue and sand taffeta.

This model has an eton front effect, with chiffon sleeves and vest; contrasting color, velvet belt, and the top of the skirt is shirred.

$29.75 is another favored price—and there are fully a dozen styles at these figures, including taffetas in Belgian blue, brown, sand and dark purple; shirred high waist effect, net sleeves and trimmed with embroidery; straight full Skirt.

Another style at the same price is in Belgian blue, battleship gray and tan taffeta. It has a military effect waist, with a chiffon vest and set-in sleeves; yoke Skirt.

A third style at $29.75 is made of crepe meteor. The colors are sand, rose and the new green, beautifully embroidered with silver braid; self-color chiffon sleeve, lace vest, circular skirt.

**$10.98 for Spring Suits, Were $19.75 to $39.50**

Yes, they were carried over from last season, but they look as spic and span now as when they first arrived, and a little alteration will make the Suits resemble this year's styles.

Serges, gabardines and crinkled crepe, plain tailored and fancy; all shades.

**Silk Dresses $12.98 that Were $29.75 to $35.00**

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24 inches wide, 39c yard.
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**Black Satin Duchess**, 36 inches wide, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 yard; 40 inches wide, $2 yard.

**Black Taffeta**, 36 inches wide, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 up to $3.00 yard; 44 inches wide, $3.50.

**Black Gros de Londre**—36 inches wide. $1.50 and $2.00 yard.

**Black Bengaline**—36 inches wide. $1.50, $2.50 and $3.50 yard.

**Black Faille**—36 inches wide. $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 yard; 40 inches wide, $3.00 yard.

**Black Crepe de Chine**—40 inches wide, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $3.50 yard.

**Black Charmeuse**—40 inches wide, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.50 yard.

**Black Crepe Taffeta**—40 inches wide, $2.50 yard.

**Black Poplin**—40 inches wide. $2.50 and $3.50 yard.

**Black Gabardine**—40 inches wide. $3.50 yard.

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