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Dear Mrs Strachey

What exceedingly kind letters you write to me, & I do appreciate them, but they are not deserved.

For a long time I really have felt ashamed of just sending the paltry 1/- if subscription, it doesn't go far in these days, does it? so I had to add the other small 1/- donation. I wish I could send more, but my funds don't allow this.

They were great days when we all worked for the winning of the Suffrage.

I went to a meeting once when Mrs Henry Fawcett was standing as a Candidate for Parliament. It was rather a rowdy meeting, but I was much struck by her dignified & gentle calmness, what a very wonderful woman she was. I was

teaching at The North London Collegiate
School at that time, drill & remedial
exercises - and I came under the
influence of Mrs Bryant, another very
wonderful woman; but before this I
was brought up by a very wonderful
mother; she taught us to be considerate
& thoughtful, & I always think of her when
I receive any praise or appreciation
for what I do.

I felt I wanted to write to you, &
tell you all this & thank you for
sparing time to write me such nice
letters.

With kind regards & all thanks to you
for all you do for the Society

yours Sincerely

Alice Gardner