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- 2.—To promote the registration of all qualified women electors under the Local Government Act.
- 3.—To promote the election of suitable women as Poor Law Guardians, and Rural, Urban, Borough, and County Councillors.
- 4.—To promote the appointment of women as School and Sanitary Inspectors, and to all other public offices for which they are eligible under the Local Government Act and other Statutes.
- 5.—To promote the formation of Women's Suffrage and kindred Associations in all the leading towns of Ireland.

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COMMITTEE FOR 1914.

HE Report for 1914 of our Committee consists mainly of a résumé of Committee work during the past year. Our subscribers will miss—as the Committee deeply deplore—the loss of the brilliant treatise on universal suffrage work, so ably penned every year, for so many years by Mr. Haslam, and it is with a deep sense of what the Society owes to Mr. Haslam,—in view of the inadequacy of this account,—and an appeal to the indulgence of our members, that this Report goes out.

The beginning of 1914 saw the formation on a firm basis of a Joint Committee, inaugurated by our President, Mrs. Haslam, and consisting of representatives from Societies in Dublin interested in Social and Municipal work. At its first meeting in January there were present delegates from no fewer than 14 Societies, viz.:—the Alexandra College Guild, the National Health Association, the National League for Opposing Women's Suffrage, the Church League, the Conservative and Unionist Franchise Association, the Franchise League, the Irish Reform League, the Irish Women's Suffrage and Local Government Association, the Philanthropic Reform League, the I.W.W.C. Temperance Union, the Women's Temperance Union, the United Irishwomen, the Workhouse Association,

and the Lend-a-Hand. At this meeting Miss Buchanan, P.L.G., was elected permanent Chairwoman, and stated from the chair the constitution and aims of the Committee:—"The *uniting* of women of every opinion to work for the furtherance of women's interests in Municipal affairs."

The first work done by the Joint Committee was to assist in the election of suitable women as Poor Law Guardians, in June, 1914. Some eleven ladies came forward as candidates, but many withdrew before the election. However, the result was satisfactory, many members of the Committee acting as canvassers, etc. In connection with this election the Committee printed a paragraph from our 1906 Report, embodying "Hints to Lodgers on how to obtain the Municipal vote," in leaflet form, and this was distributed with our leaflet, "Why Women are needed as Poor Law Guardians," to voters, and the opportunity was taken to impress upon everyone the necessity for careful inspection by voters of lists posted at town halls, post offices, etc., and the need for attendance at Revision Courts to assist those whose claim may be questioned, often on a mere quibble. In our lists published in August of the names of women Poor Law Guardians, Rural District Councillors, and Town and Urban Councillors, the numbers are as follows for 1914:—128 Poor Law Guardians (including 44 Rural District Councillors) and 9 Town and Urban Councillors.

With regard to the elections in January, 1915, it was hoped that Ireland might have been included in the

Bill giving the residential qualification to women, since passed for England, and known as the County and Borough Council (Qualification) Act, 1914, and we were bitterly disappointed that Ireland was not included, but trust early next session to have a bill drafted on the same lines for Ireland, which will render eligible many capable women who are at present debarred from offering themselves for election. But notwithstanding Ireland's disability, the Joint Committee hopes to have the opportunity to do good work in support of women candidates for election in January.

Our meeting after the holidays, found the members of the Committee plunged in a vortex of relief work, caused by the needs of our soldiers at the front, or of their dependents at home. We were anxious, as a Society, to take up some work not already begun, to avoid as much as possible overlapping, and it was resolved to start an emergency fund for the relief of Belgian Refugees in Ireland. A circular letter was addressed to our subscribers asking what each could do, either by monetary help or by offers of houseroom to refugees. The response was good so far as it went, but sufficient money was not subscribed to warrant our attempting to run a house ourselves under Local Government conditions, our members being scattered all over Ireland preferred to assist local funds. At a meeting held on October 8th it was resolved "to hold over money subscribed until such

time as a more urgent need might arise." Offers of houseroom for one or more Belgian Refugees were very plentiful, but owing to the strict rules of the Local Government Board as regards interpreters, employment, etc., cannot at present be availed of. Clothes were sent in abundance.

Our Limerick Branch (Dr. E. Massy, Hon. Sec.) has started a local fund for Belgian refugees, and opened a depot for clothes, etc. In Mallow also our members are working for those in their midst.

We very much regret to state that Mrs. Tottenham, who, despite continued ill-health, filled the post of Hon. Sec. to our branch in Mallow, finds it impossible to carry on the work any longer. We hope we may find some one willing and able to take her place.

On September 17th, Mrs. Haslam, our President, proposed that as a necessity of these abnormal times, we should agitate for the employment of trained women as Police Women or Patrols, the work of such women to be in the nature of emergency work, and for the present *voluntary*. Mrs. Haslam collected a mass of information on this subject, and had some important interviews. As a result she has received a letter from the Under Secretary for Ireland, from which the following is an extract:—"In reply to your letter on the subject of the establishment of Women Patrols in this City, I am directed to inform you that the Lord Lieutenant entirely approves of the proposed action of the Joint Committee on behalf

of which you write." Women Police have been doing good work in America, and in England the National Council of Women has established Women Patrols to caution and protect women in the neighbourhood of camps. It is to be hoped that when the experiment has proved its usefulness, Women Police will be appointed with official status and full powers. The Irish Girls' Protection Crusade employs trained women, who have long done good work, on some such lines.

At this meeting the following resolution was proposed by Miss Harrison, T.C., seconded by Mrs. Haslam, and carried unanimously:—"That this meeting of the Irish Women's Suffrage and Local Government Association, would urge upon the Government, the importance of appointing an Irish Advisory Committee of women, in connection with relief work schemes under the National Committee for the prevention and relief of distress caused by the war; that the local committees should have the benefit of the opinions of women experienced in industrial questions, representatives of industrial women workers, and others, as they already have them in England."

This resolution was sent to Mr. Birrell, the Chief Secretary, and eventually he interviewed Miss Buchanan and other representative women on the subject, with the result that such a Committee—the I.C.C.—is now in existence, albeit only for three provinces. It has no power to grant money, etc., its functions being purely critical and advisory.

ROME.—The Fifth Quinquennial Meetings of the International Council of Women (which now represents twenty-three National Councils) were held at the beginning of May in Rome under the Presidency of Lady Aberdeen. The following resolutions on the subject of Peace were adopted, and at this date make interesting reading:—"That the International Council of Women, protesting vehemently against the odious wrongs of which women are victims in time of war, contrary to international law, appeals to the next Hague Conference to consider how a more effective international protection of women may be secured, which will prevent the continuance of the horrible violation of womanhood that attends all wars." And the second, supports warmly the effectual application of the resolutions passed at the Hague Conference for the peaceful settlement of international disputes, and declares its sympathetic desire for the conclusion of treaties through which the Governments pledge themselves, in the case of disputes of every kind, to enter into negotiations for mediation.

Jus Suffragii for December, publishes an interesting letter from Frau Stritt, President of the German Union for Women's Suffrage, in which she expresses the deep regret of the Committee that there can be no Biennial Congress of the International Alliance in Berlin next June as arranged.

In Mrs. Chapman Catt's splendid reply she says:—
"It is impossible to believe that the women who have worked together so many years in loving comradeship and in perfect understanding of each others motives and aims, shall be separated because of the animosities which are being aroused at this time between their respective nations. The cause for which we stand, the emancipation of women from ancient discriminations and injustices, is greater far than any issue of the present war. Our cause is one which must affect the fundamental evolution of human society the world around for ages to come. It must not be lost sight of under the more immediately absorbing needs of the present moment."

The Annual Conference of the National Union of Women Workers was to have met this year in Bristol, but was postponed owing to the war. Our delegates were to have been Lady Dockrell, Miss Warren and Mrs. Richardson, B.A. Mrs. Haslam has resigned her Vice-Presidency of the Council—Miss Buchanan has been elected in her place—on which Ireland has three representatives, Lady Arnott, Miss White, LL.D., and Miss Buchanan. On February 13th a great demonstration was held in the Albert Hall, to demand a Government Measure of Women's Suffrage. The body of the Hall was reserved for men. Prof. Grenville Cole attended as our delegate, and a telegram expressing the good wishes of the Association was sent to the Meeting.

Lord Selborne's Bill for Women's Suffrage debate in the House of Lords, on May 5th and 6th, cannot well be left out of this Report. The division was taken on the 6th, and resulted in a majority of 44 against the Bill, 60 for, 104 against; from these figures it will be seen that though the Bill was defeated there is a considerable body of opinion among the Peers in favour of the enfranchisement of women, and the minority would probably be converted into a majority in the event of a Bill being sent up by the Commons. The feature of the Debate on Tuesday was the powerful defence of the measure delivered by the Bishops of London and Oxford. The Bishop of London, who declared himself a convert to Women's Suffrage, asked: which was the wiser course, to allow women to smart under a sense of injustice or to try to remove the grievance; after all women were a more law abiding sex than men. Referring to his own Bill for raising the age of consent, since withdrawn, he said, that if he had the votes of a million women behind him he would feel sure of carrying it into law.

The Bishop of Oxford made a spirited defence of women taking part in the Suffrage campaign. He said he did not believe there existed in the world a body of human beings more capable, better instructed, better equipped as voters, or nobler, than was to be found in the body of women who in this country were foremost in demanding this reform. He could conceive no principle of statecraft which justified

them in withholding the vote from women. Turning to militancy, he asked by what spirit of logic they could make their violence an excuse for denying just that very element of justice which was the only thing that accounted for the violence.

Lord Selborne himself, who introduced the Bill, made a careful and moderate speech, claiming for the Bill that it would add to the stability of the State. From the knowledge of other parts of the Empire, and of the conditions at home, he was profoundly impressed with the high spirit of patriotism of women. He spoke strongly of the methods adopted by those in the House of Commons, who, posing as friends of Women Suffrage, had succeeded in torpedoing the Conciliation Bill.

Lord Curzon delivered the principal attacks, and his arguments were the time worn watchwords of the Anti-Suffragists.

It only remains to mention the speech of the Lord Chancellor. On the principle, he said some quite good things: he contrasted the economic progress made by men with the vote, with the slow progress of women without it, he admitted that enfranchisement could not be much longer withheld, he even acknowledged that militancy was the "inevitable" result of delay in dealing out justice. But as a politician he contented himself with the wholly unsatisfactory and impossible position that Women's Suffrage could not be

granted unless the issue had first been made the only one at some general election and a Government formed on it.

To conclude—The following paragraphs, taken from Jus Suffragii, strike a more hopeful note:—

"While European women are plunged in mourning and their public activities limited to mitigating the horrors of war, happy American women are proceeding from strength to strength, building up their liberties.

Two new States have been won for Women's Suffrage—Nevada and Montana. By these gains four more Senators and three Representatives from Women Suffrage States will be added to the United States Congress.

The Suffrage States are now as follows:—Wyoming, 1869; Idaho, 1896; Utah, 1896; Washington, 1910; California, 1911; Oregon, 1912; Arizona, 1912; Kansas, 1912; Alaska, 1913; Illinois (partial Suffrage), 1913; Montana and Nevada, 1914.

It is uphill work gaining States one by one, every one gained, however, smooths the way to Congress, as it increases the number of representatives for the Suffrage States. It may therefore be hoped that when a few more States have been gained the Suffrage vote will be strong enough to carry a Federal Amendment."

REPORT FROM CORK BRANCH.

The one outstanding event of this year was the celebration by Mr. and Mrs. Haslam of their Diamond Wedding, in March. We all regret her retirement, but rejoice she is still with us as our President, and still engaged in various philanthropic efforts. We congratulate our respected pioneers, and long may they live to help us and one another. We wish Mrs. Sanderson every success in her arduous work.

Our Annual General Meeting was held on Monday. March 16th, and Mr. J. B. Fowler kindly presided. Our financial position was pronounced satisfactory, as after defraying all expenses we had a good balance in hands. Our membership has been well kept up in numbers, and although we have lost a few through their being removed from Cork, still we have added new subscribers to our list. At this meeting we had an interesting debate on "the Industrial and Financial Status of Women." The discussion proved most informing, and the Chairman in summing up added much to it by giving us data deduced from his own personal experience. At this meeting also the following resolution was proposed by Mrs. David O'Sullivan, and seconded by Mrs. Evans:-" That we, the Cork Branch of the Irish Women's Suffrage and Local Government Association, reaffirm our strong conviction of the absolute justice of our claim for enfranchisement, and that as a branch of the oldest Woman Suffrage Association in Ireland, which is

affiliated to the oldest and largest in England, we condemn most strongly the acts of the militants as being both wrong and unjustifiable in themselves and detrimental in the highest degree to the cause we have at heart."

This resolution was put to the vote of the meeting and carried by an overwhelming majority.

Our work next year must be for a time on different lines, as this terrible war is absorbing everyone's thoughts, energy and time, and each one is doing his or her best to alleviate in some small degree the sufferings of all those concerned in it.

During this war there is a great opportunity for women to prove what they are capable of doing, and one reads as the days go on of women filling responsible positions from which they were hitherto debarred, and discharging grave duties and municipal affairs with marked ability. All this may bring our enfranchisement a step nearer.

(MRS.) ELIZABETH CHRISTIE,
15 St. Patrick's Place, Cork,
Hon. Sec. and Treasurer.

REPORT FROM MALLOW BRANCH.

There is nothing to report on our work for 1914, for here, as elsewhere, the Suffrage question has been left in abeyance, while our members are so actively engaged in helping to lessen the hardships of our

brave soldiers and sailors who are daily giving their lives for King and Country.

War is always terrible, but on none does its burden and horrors fall so heavily as on women, what they have gone through is unspeakable, and we must all feel proud of those of our members whose heroic courage and spirit of self-sacrifice have led them at once to abandon their own just cause to pour out their energy and strength for the relief of the suffering and wounded.

Their work at the hospitals has been highly spoken of, and the loyal devotion and courage of Mrs. Stotart and her staff at Antwerp could not be surpassed, for it rose, as it always seems to do, in the time of greatest stress and need, and it may be truly said, "that the brave woman, as well as the brave man, is always found at the post of danger."

May their noble work prosper, and God, if not man, will yet give them the victory, for there are many now at the front who have come through great tribulation."

W. F. TOTTENHAM, Hon. Sec.

REPORT FROM LIMERICK BRANCH.

For the first half of the year, we may as well confess it, we did nothing! This was not altogether our fault. The militant activities caused the very name of women's suffrage to be "anathema," and we felt that had we held a meeting, or otherwise obtruded ourselves, at best we should have had an empty house, and more than likely raised a row.

On the outbreak of the war we got a letter from the head office in Dublin, asking if our Branch could do anything in aid of Belgian Refugees. We considered the matter, and at our Annual General Meeting on October 21st, decided to devote all ordinary subscriptions for the current year, together with any special donations we might receive, to the relief of Belgian Refugees. We also opened a depôt for the reception of clothing for them, and appointed a sub-committee to receive, sort, and acknowledge all parcels.

At first we had our depôt at the George Hotel (by kind permission of Mr. Hartigan). Later on Messrs. Todd & Co. very generously placed a room at our disposal, and lent us some presses for storage of clothing. Our appeal has been most liberally responded to, and already we have a good supply of garments.

It is expected that Belgians may shortly come to Limerick, and in the event of their coming, our Society has undertaken to act as a clothing sub-committee to the Limerick Belgian Relief Committee, and to be responsible for caring for the refugees in this respect. Should no Belgians arrive here we shall send clothes and money to Dublin or London. As will be seen by our subscription list, we have over £10 available for this purpose.

MABEL M. DODDS, B.A. Hon. EVERINA S. I. MASSY, M.B. Secs.

Since writing above report thirty-five Belgian Refugees have arrived in Limerick almost at a moment's notice. Our Clothing Sub-Committee was soon hard at work supplying their wants. Many of them were in a sad plight, being very scantily clad and having nothing but what they were actually wearing.

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