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exercise their power in making prohibition not merely a provisional measure but a permanent one. She saw also that one of the best things to do in the interests of the men returning after the war would be to give to them a country which would in every sense be safe for them to live in.

As a member of the Advisory Committee of the Woman's Equal Franchise Association she plunged whole-heartedly into the work of the Special Campaign Committee which largely influenced the Ontario Legislature to grant Provincial franchise and thus achieved a grand climax to the years of endeavor in the Equal Franchise movement.

As Chairman of the Business and Advisory Board of the same Association, in addition to her committee work she did a great deal to further this movement through the press, and on the platform, and was a member of the deputation to the City Hall with the chairman of the Campaign Committee, Mrs. Ormsby, and the Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Campbell McIvor, Mrs. Becker and others to extend the proposed request to the Provincial Government for the municipal enfranchisement of married women to cover the full franchise. Speaking on this deputation of the referendum to be taken after the war she said:—

"We think the women will greatly strengthen the hands of the Government in passing the prohibition act. That is one reason why we feel very strongly the need of obtaining the Provincial franchise at this time. We feel it is a definitely patriotic object on our part! That we may be able to protect our boys when they come home from the evils of the liquor traffic."