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**MAYOR BROAD WHITLOCK
WOULD LET WOMEN VOTE**

Michigan Women Ask for the Right of Suffrage--Some Great Women of the Past--An Interesting Subject.

(Detroit News)
"Detroit, Cleveland and Toledo lead all other American cities in political freedom," said Mayor Broad Whitlock, mayor of Toledo, while visiting at Mayor Thompson's office Tuesday. "But," he added significantly, "until the women can vote it is only one-half the freedom it should be. Do I believe in woman suffrage? Most certainly, we can only attain to a limited measure of political freedom until women are allowed to vote. The next step will be economic freedom."

(Woman's Journal.)
The following memorial has been sent to the president and members of the Michigan Constitutional Convention: "We, your memorialists, in behalf of one-half of the citizens of the state of Michigan, respectfully ask that the word 'male' as a qualification for voting be omitted from the revised constitution which you are now preparing to submit to the voters of the state. We ask that this measure of justice be granted to the women citizens of Michigan because self-preservation is a basic right in a representative government. 'Governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed.' Women are law-abiding, home-loving, tax-paying, intelligent citizens, invested with the duties and burdens, and deprived of the rights and privileges, of citizenship. This strange and unjust condition demands your candid attention and most unprejudiced and honest action. No liberty given to woman has been lost, abused or regretted. She has rendered the best service when granted the largest possession of rights. Liberty never degrades; freedom, always elevates. To govern this great state wisely and well is the noblest service. For this, all the wisdom, ability and patriotism of all the people is required. When a great moral force is employed, the state suffers an irreparable loss. The measure we are asking is not an untried experiment. Full political rights for women have been established in many states and countries, and the results are everywhere admitted to be good. Nowhere is there a desire for repeal.
Therefore we ask your honorable body, in the name of justice and expediency, to take such steps as your united wisdom shall direct to secure the elective franchise to the citizens on the basis of the needs and rights of a common interest, and not on a restriction.
CLARA B. ARTHUR,
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- INK STAND, gilt finish, with 2 bottles.
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- SILVER JEWEL CASE.
- PIN CUSHIONS in sterling silver.
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Steamers.
Burgess Head, 14th, Port Talbot, Dec 2.
Dagmar, 14th, St. John's, Dec 2.
Cordelia, 7.20, St. John's, Dec 2.
Empress of Trade, 8.00, Liverpool, Dec 12.
Plover, 1.00, St. John's, Dec 12.
Olympian, 4.12, St. John's, Dec 12.
Lala, 4.00, St. John's, Dec 4.
Montcalm, 5.00, St. John's, Dec 7.
Mount Royal, 1.00, St. John's, Dec 7.
Galicia, 2.00, St. John's, Dec 7.
Shenandoah, 2.00, St. John's, Dec 11.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Cleared Today.
Star Kastalia, 250, Black, for Glasgow, R. Reford Co, pass and mds.
Star Sardinia, 178, Henry, for London and Havre via Havre.

Arrived Yesterday.
Star Harry, 42, Patterson, from New York, C. M. Kerrison, bal.
Star Wandana, 31, Card, from New York, master, bal.
Constable, Star Leonie & Edna, 30, Lakeman, Grand Harbour.

Sailed Today.
Star Empress of Britain, 4.04, Murray, for Liverpool via Halifax.

Star Rappahannock, 2.80, Buckingham, for London via Halifax.

DOMINION PORTS.
Sydney Light, Dec 12--Signalled inward steamer Faber, 10.00, from Sydney, N. S. Wales, and brief Francis Ross, (A); and sch. Onward--Starr Yoraba, Dec 11, and sch. Lollita A. N. 8, Dec 11--and star Senator (New), from Port Maria (A); sch. Freedom, from New York.
Chloro, sch. Bah, for Brazil via St. John's (N.S.).
Star--Star Beta, for Bermuda, Turks Island and Jamaica.

BRITISH PORTS.
Gloucester, Dec 13--Arr. star Parkwood, from Chatham N. B. via Sydney N. S.
Melbourne, Dec 13--Arr. star (consignee), bark Bannockburn, from Campbellton.
Glasgow, Dec 13--Arr. star Gellan, for St. John's (N.S.).
Liverpool, Dec 13--Arr. star Empress of Ireland, forster, for St. John's via Halifax.
Aberdeen, Dec 10--Arr. star Jacsona, from Montreal.
Fowey, Dec 11--Arr. star Cynthia, for Boston.
Cape Race, N.S., Dec 13--Steamer Corsican, from Liverpool for St. John (N. B.), passed Cape Race at 11.30 a. m.
Main Head, Dec 13--Steamer Victorian, from St. John (N. B.), and Halifax for Liverpool, was 7 1/2 miles west at 8.15 p. m.
London, Dec 13--Arr. star St. John City, from St. John and Halifax.
Liverpool, Dec 13--Arr. star Nancy Lee, from Chitcutim via Sydney (N. S.), for Manchester.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Baltimore, Dec 13--Arr. star Athens, McNeil, for St. John.
Rio Janeiro, Nov 27--Sis, star Pydna, from Rio de Janeiro and Baltimore.
Antwerp, Dec 13--Sis star Lake Michigan, for St. John.
New York, Dec 13--Cis star Philadelphia, for Southampton, Louisiana, for Liverpool; sch. Unity, for South Amboy; Dara O, for St. John; Cyril, for Nelson's Cove (N. S.); Portland, Me., Dec 13--Arr. sch. William L. Eklita, from St. John for Bridgetown.
Cis--Sch. Sam Black, for St. John.
City Island, Dec 13--Bound south sch. Henry B. Sumner, Hillsboro (N. S.).
Boston, Dec 13--Arr. sch. F. & B. Givan, from St. George (N. S.).
Sis--Star Prince Arthur, for Yarmouth.
Cis--Sch. Phoenix, for Port George (N. S.).
Calverton, for Lunenburg (N. S.); R. Carson, from St. Martins (N. S.).
Vineyard Haven, Mass., Dec 13--Arr. sch. Lucille, from Guttenburg for St. Stephen (N. S.).
Sis--Sch. Olymper Emperor, from Hillsboro (N. B.), for New York.
Passes--Schs Harold C. Beecher, from Philadelphia for Salem; Myrtle Leaf, from New York for St. John.
Portland, Dec 13--Arr. sch. Jennie C, from St. John.
Cis--Star King, for St. John's.

DELEGATE HARBOUR HAS INTRODUCED IN THE MICHIGAN CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION A CLAUSE TO GRANT THE FULL BALLOT TO WOMEN.
(Victoria Colonist.)
Coinciding as we must, the remarkable part which women have played in history, we must at the same time admit that those who have accomplished the greatest things, have not been normal in their qualities. The difference between such men as Alexander, Peter the Great, Cromwell, Napoleon and others, who might be named, on the one hand, and the average of mankind on the other, is only in degree, but in such women as Semiramis, Catherine the Great, Zenobia, Helen of Troy, Cleopatra and all the wonderful galaxy of whom we have been speaking, it seems almost to be in their very nature. The appalling cruelty of many of them has only been rarely equalled in the history of men, and their disregard of moral obligations has been so very notable as to cast great doubt upon the fitness of women to occupy places in the active turmoil of public life. We do not lose sight of the conspicuous exceptions to this general rule, when we say that political greatness in women seems almost always to have been attained at the sacrifice of those qualities which are most valuable in their character, and to be absolutely essential if our existing civilization, which is based upon the sanctity of home life, is to be maintained. Of their ability to form great plans and to carry them into execution there can be no question. That they have been so influential at nearly all the great crises of the world's history, that one may almost say that they have done more than men to shape the course of events, must be admitted. That for strength of character, whether for good or evil, for courage, for foresight, for grasp of great situations, they are fully the equal of men, and if allowance is made for the disadvantages under which they have at all times and in all countries labored, we may almost say that the superiority of men may fairly be claimed. But a review of the whole subject compels the conviction that nearly all the great women in history have been abnormal types. There are conspicuous exceptions. In the case of that great and good queen, Victoria, whose career was the first dealt with in this series of articles, we had an illustration of the development of womanhood under the influence of a Christianity which contains more of encouragement for those who hope for the political equality of the sexes than the lives of all the other great historic heroines combined.

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**Liberal Ward Meetings,
TUESDAY, December 17.**

Meetings of the Liberal Electors in the various city wards will be held on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, at 8 p. m., to elect Delegates to a Convention to be held TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, in Berryman's Hall, for the purpose of electing candidates for the representation of the City of Saint John in the Local Legislature, as follows:

KINGS, QUEENS, DUKES and SYDNEY, Berryman's Hall.
WELLINGTON and PRINCE, Opera House Block.
VICTORIA, McLean & Holt Building, City Road.
DUFFERIN, Shop No. 609 Main Street.
LORNE, LANSDOWNE and STANLEY, Watson Building, 36 Douglas Avenue.
GUY and BROOKS WARDS will meet Wednesday 18th, at 8 p. m., in Oddfellows' Hall, Carleton.

THOMAS McAVITY,
Chairman Executive Committee.