

WANT MORE WOMEN ON SCHOOL BOARDS

Campaign to Increase the Representation at the Com- ing Primaries

Last of "Availables" Recommend- ed for Nomination by All Political Parties

A movement to bring about the elec-
tion of more women as members of the
Sectional School Boards is being furthered
by the Civic Club, in co-operation with
the Public Education Association and
the New Century Club.

A joint committee of members of the
three organizations, which is directing the
campaign, is composed of Mrs. Talcott
Williams, chairman; Mrs. Edwin G.
Price, Mrs. Joseph P. Mumford, Mrs.
Wendell Reber, Mrs. I. H. O'Hara, Miss
Margaret R. Brendlinger and Miss Eliza-
beth B. Kirkbride, secretary.

An Appeal for Women

This committee has issued an appeal
to voters, in which, among other things,
they say:

Women have served upon the school
boards of this city for twenty-six years.
This year forty-three women have been
serving in twenty-four different wards.
Next February four directors will be
elected in each ward for three year
terms, and in many wards directors will
also be elected for unexpired terms
caused by vacancies.

For many reasons, especially on account
of their knowledge of the needs of chil-
dren, and the time at their command
during school hours, we believe that each
school board should have on it not fewer
than three women, and we, therefore, urge
the election of one or more women on
each board every year.

We also desire to foster the establish-
ment of the principle of taking the
schools out of politics and of considering
school questions on their merits alone.
We, therefore, appeal to you for a non-
partisan consideration of all candidates,
and especially of women candidates, for
the office of school director.

The committee has prepared a list of
women who they believe "possess both
the qualifications and experience needed
to render their service useful."

"They have all consented to serve if
elected," says the committee, "and are
willing to have their names presented to
all parties, believing that they can in
this way best further the interests of the
schools."

List of Candidates

This is the list prepared by the com-
mittee:

Third Ward—Miss Grace Elizabeth
Palmer, 423 Christian street.

Fifth—Miss Stella B. Rosenbaum, Col-
lege Settlement, 302 South Front street;
Mrs. Minna M. Dublin, (Mrs. S. M. Dublin),
325 Pine street.

Seventh—Miss Emily Hollowell, 908
Clinton street; Miss Lucy Davis, 1822
Pine street; Mrs. Lucretia M. R. Antchell,
1708 Pine street.

Eighth—Mrs. Anna F. Woodruff (Mrs.
Clinton Rogers Woodruff), 2219 Spruce
street; *Miss Mary Henry, 1635 Locust
street; Dr. Clara Marshall, 258 South Six-
teenth street.

Ninth—Mrs. Rebecca M. Berens (Mrs.
Bernard Berens), 2041 Chestnut street.

Tenth—Miss Rebecca Ernst, southwest
corner Eighteenth and Race streets; Dr.
Sarah H. Lockrey, 1520 Vine street.

Twelfth—Miss Marie Louise Van
Thuyne, 425 Vine street.

Thirteenth—Miss Bertha Fowler, 611
Vine street.

Fifteenth—Miss Julia A. Moore, 2000
Green street.

Nineteenth—Mrs. Jane D. Cope (Mrs.
Edgar Cope), St. Simon's Rectory, 2550
North Ninth street.

Twenty-first—Mrs. Anna D. Hamilton
(Mrs. Wilbur Fisk Hamilton), Shawmont
avenue, Roxborough, Pa.; Mrs. Sarah E.
Fussell (Mrs. M. Howard Fussell), 189
Green lane, Manayunk.

Twenty-second—Miss Esther Morton
Smith, 5317 Germantown avenue.

Twenty-fourth—*Dr. Margaret C. Lev-
is, 402 Spring Garden street.

Twenty-seventh—*Mrs. Jennie M. Pels
(Mrs. Samuel S. Pels), 3510 Chestnut
street; *Mrs. Charles Roe Murphy, 312
South Thirty-ninth street.

Twenty-ninth—Mrs. Clara L. Berk-
witz (Mrs. Albert Berkowitz), 3225 Tur-
ner street; Mrs. Mary A. Klopp (Mrs.
Charles G. Klopp), 2920 Oxford street.

Thirty-second—Mrs. Emma Eschner
(Mrs. Louis Eschner), 2043 North Park
avenue; *Mrs. Ella A. Willing Kirk (Mrs.
James S. Kirk), 1817 North Marvine
street.

Thirty-fifth—Miss Hannah P. Morris,
Obley, Pa.

Thirty-sixth—Dr. Margaret A. Warlow,
1738 South Eighteenth street; Dr. Mary
M. Taylor, 1522 South Twenty-second
street.

Thirty-eighth—*Mrs. Edith S. Heaton,
3430 North Eighteenth street; Mrs. Kath-
erine Donald Whalley (Mrs. Irving Whal-
ley), 3436 North Sixteenth street.

Fortieth—Mrs. Patience N. Richter
(Mrs. William H. Richter), 6710 Wood-
land avenue; Mrs. Frank T. Anderson,
7123 Woodland avenue.

Forty-second—Miss Margaret Wister,
"Bedford," Germantown; *Mrs. M. Eleanor
Magill (Mrs. Andrew Magill), 4825 North
Canaan street, Locust.

Forty-sixth—*Mrs. Mary V. Armstrong
(Mrs. James M. Armstrong), 4511 King-
essing avenue.

Forty-seventh—*Dr. Anna B. Hall, 1417
North Seventeenth street; *Mrs. Caroline
C. Berger, 1728 Master street; Mrs. Anna
T. Harrop (Mrs. Charles T. Harrop), 1731
Oxford street; Mrs. Louis Jurist, 506
North Broad street.

Those marked with the asterisk (*) are
present members of school boards.