

**PRES. E. B. BRANDE
PREDICTS SMALL VOTE
ON WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE**

Asked about how things were going with reference to the suffrage election to be held Jan. 31st, President E. B. Brande of the Grinnell Commercial Club, remarked that he had almost concluded to take out his telephone, so frequent were the calls with regard to it. Apparently about as many favor the suffrage proposition as oppose it, but the opposition seems to be the more active. He does not think that anywhere near half of the women will come out to the polls, believing that interest in the question is not great enough to bring out a greater representation. 1-10-1913

**SUFFRAGISTS PLAN
BIG MASS MEETING**

Will be Held in Colonial on Evening of January 30, the Eve of Election.

1-24-1913

**SUFFRAGIST SPEAKERS
FROM DES MOINES**

Musical Numbers and Moving Pictures Will be Provided—All Are Invited.

On the good old principle of holding a mass meeting on the eve of election the suffragists of Grinnell (the Herald is informed on good authority that there are no suffragettes in this country) have called such a gathering for the evening of Thursday, January 30 to be held in the Colonial at 8:15 o'clock.

Suffrage speakers from Des Moines are to be present and musical numbers and moving pictures are promised to aid in the entertainment of the big crowd expected. The management cordially invites everyone to attend without money and without price. Rev. P. F. Marston will preside.

It will be an excellent opportunity for women who are undecided and for men who are skeptical to get some good, downright arguments from the suffragist point of view and should help in getting out a big and representative vote among the women on the following day.

**ASK WOMEN TO
VOTE ON SUFFRAGE**

1-17-1913

A recommendation that the women of Grinnell take advantage generally of the opportunity extended by the Grinnell Commercial Club to express themselves on January 31 next on the question of Equal Suffrage for Women, was passed by the Executive Board of the Woman's Civic League at a meeting held yesterday at the home of Mrs. T. O. Douglass.

Miss Mae Stoddard was chosen to represent the organization on the Board of Directors of the Social Service League.

Officers were elected as follows:
President—Mrs. T. O. Douglass.
First Vice President—Mrs. W. S. Rayburn.
Second Vice President—Mrs. S. C. Buck.
Secretary—Miss Sarah Viets.
Treasurer—Mrs. Carrie Proctor.

WHY WOMEN WANT TO VOTE.

Women are Citizens and Wish to Do Their Civic Duty.

Housekeepers need the ballot to regulate the sanitary conditions under which they and their families must live. Do men think they can get what is needed for their city unless they can vote for the men that will get it for them?

Mothers need the ballot to regulate the moral conditions under which their children must be brought up. Do men think they can fight against evil conditions that are threatening their children unless they can vote for the men who run their city?

Teachers need the ballot to secure just wages and to influence the management of the public schools. Men ought to encourage women to vote for the School Board.

Tax Paying Women need the ballot to protect their property. Do not men know that "taxation without representation is tyranny"?

Business Women need the ballot to secure for themselves a fair opportunity in their business. Do business men think they could protect themselves against adverse legislation without the right to vote?

Working Women need the ballot to regulate conditions under which they work. Do working men think they can protect themselves without the right to vote?

All Women need the ballot because they are concerned equally with men in good and bad government and are equally responsible for civic righteousness.