

WOMEN IN POLITICS

By Mrs. W. J. O'Neill

The revised constitution of Illinois, Article XI, makes provision for the armed forces of the state. It will be noted that the new Constitution, if it is adopted by the people at the election on December 12th, provides for compulsory military service in case the governor deems such service necessary. No exemptions other than provided by law are allowed and the conscientious objector will be forced to give service the same as others. The present Constitution does not compel conscientious objectors to perform military duty in times of peace, providing they pay an equivalent for their exemption. Section 212 reads as follows:

Section 212—The military of the state of Illinois shall consist of all able bodied male persons resident in the state between the ages of 18 and 45, except such persons as now are or hereafter may be exempted by the laws of the United States or of the State. No person, because of conscientious scruples against bearing arms, shall be exempted by the laws of this state from any military service declared by the Governor to be noncombatant.

News is coming in regarding the active campaigning being carried on for a seat in the United States Senate by Mrs. Oleson of Minnesota. Speaking at Wabasha recently she said: "I point out that the Senate voted five million dollars to fight the barberry bush but I say to you that the farmers will fight the barberry bush if the Senate will eradicate the Newberry bush. I am fighting this campaign against the selling of seats in the United States Senate. Only three votes are required to unseat Newberry in the next Senate. Iowa will send Brookhart, North Dakota will send Lynn Frazier and if Minne-

sota sends me we will unseat Newberry." She also said: "I come from the northern part of Minnesota where men dig out stumps and stones, pay the taxes and raise families without any special subsidies from governments and the Esch-Cummins bill has raised our taxes as never before. Farmers send grain to market and then have to send more grain to pay the freight on the first shipment."

Two Joliet women, Mrs. Joseph Nachbour and Mrs. C. E. Antriu have been summoned to appear for jury service. This is the first time that women have been called for jury service in the history of Will county.

Senators McCormick and McKinley sent a message of congratulation to the women of North DuPage county on the occasion of the recent rally for Mrs. O'Neill, which was the first rally in the country to be arranged and carried out entirely by women for a woman candidate. Mr. Geo. B. Christian, secretary to President Harding, sent a message of good cheer to the women and the manager, Mrs. Volterding.

The Honorable Jeanette Rankin, our first woman congressman, was a visitor in the village on Monday and Tuesday. She has just returned from a summer spent in Montana in the interests of the campaign of her brother, Wellington Rankin, present Attorney General of Montana, who was a candidate for the United States Senate.

It is interesting to note the recognition that is being accorded women in the new republics across the water. At the present time over 1500 women are serving as members of city councils and local government bodies and ten per cent of the political parties in the Reichstag are women, their being at the present time 37 members in the German House of Representatives.

In England a campaign committee has been formed which will sup-

WOMEN TO HOLD IMPORTANT POLITICAL RALLY

County Republican Club in First Get-together This Fall at Wheaton Tomorrow

The Woman's Republican Club of DuPage County will hold its first meeting for this fall, in Wheaton tomorrow afternoon at the court house at 2:30 o'clock.

We will have the honor of having one of the National Republican workers, Mrs. Mary Wright, with us at this meeting who will be our speaker. Mrs. Wright has just returned from Maine where she took an active part in their state campaign. She is an exceptionally strong speaker and we are indeed fortunate to be able to have her with us.

A most cordial invitation is extended to all ladies to attend the meeting and hear how we can better serve our party and also help our candidates.

Men are also invited to attend this meeting and hear Mrs. Wright.

No Place for Iceman.

Ice has been accumulating in the interior of Greenland since the dawn of history. It is estimated that at the present time the icefields cover an area of six hundred thousand miles, and are on an average a mile and a half thick.

Plea for Faith, Not Doubts.

If you have any faith, give me, for heaven's sake, a share of it! Your doubts you may keep to yourself, for I have plenty of my own.—Goethe.

port women running on any party ticket except the Communist. The Duchess of Atholl has recently announced her intention of running for a seat in Parliament to keep Lady Astor and Mrs. Wintringham company.

Turpentine the Pine.
Successive seasons of turpentine cause no lowering in strength or resin content of pine trees, states the forest products laboratory of Wisconsin. The crude turpentine is the result of wound stimulus, and comes only from living cells in the sap wood region of the tap bore. The heart wood, which consists of dead cells, contains no sap.—Scientific American.

River's Freakish Movement.
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In the Circuit Court of DuPage County, Illinois.
October Term, A. D., 1922.

Nellie H. Mason vs. Edwin L. Mason.
In Chancery General No. 9244.
Notice is hereby given to the said Edwin L. Mason, defendant, that the above named complainant has heretofore filed her bill of complaint against the said defendant in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court, against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of said DuPage County, to be held at the Court House, in the City of Wheaton, in said DuPage County, on the first Monday of October A. D., 1922, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.
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