

NEW STAMPS RECALL REVOLUTIONARY DAYS

A special series of three postage stamps to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the battle of Lexington and Concord and the new Nathan Hale one-half cent stamp have just been placed on sale.

The one-cent stamp shows Washington taking the oath under the elm at Cambridge; the two-cent stamp shows the battle of Lexington and the five-cent stamp is a reproduction of the statue of the Concord Minute Man and contains Emerson's verse:

TOOK MANY YEARS TO PASS SUFFRAGE

FOUR WOMEN STARTED IT

League of Women Voters Hears Interesting Story of the Fight for Votes In This Country

It was 72 years from the time the first congress of women's rights until the final amendment giving women the vote was passed.

This fact, and the long history involved, was presented by Maud W. Parks, former president of the National League of Women Voters, in an address before the Evanston League of Women Voters.

"Anne Richardson," Miss Parks said, "was the first to launch the idea in America that women should be on an equal footing with the men. From Revolutionary days until 1800 women were allowed to vote in New Jersey. Then their vote was taken away from them and not restored until the amendment was passed.

"Education for women was one of the first forms of the assertion of women's rights. At first they had no recognition at all in the schools. They were allowed to have instruction only after the boys were through for the day. Gradually, women who did have some education, were allowed to teach some of the smaller schools, and it was in one of these that Susan B. Anthony managed successfully a school that a man professor had failed in the year before. She received but one-fourth the salary paid the instructor who failed.

"Four women called the first Women's rights convention and it was from this small nucleus that the organization grew to a size sufficient to put through the amendment. During the Civil war these women turned their attention to the things they could do, but when the war was over they found that they had lost nearly all the ground they had gained up to that time."

Miss Parks organized the first league in the interest of women's rights in a college, when she was attending Pankhurst, and from it grew organizations in many colleges and universities throughout the United States.

LOOK FOR BATTLE IN BOTH PARTIES

1926 Congressional Elections Likely to Be Hard Fought, Reports Say

There are already signs in Washington indicating that both the old parties expect a battle royal in the congressional elections next year. The Democratic leaders are beginning to say that they expect to control the senate after 1926 and the Republicans admit privately that it will be a hard fight, but add that they hope to control the lower house by a majority equal to that in the present congress.

The Democrats will start in the campaign for the senate with a big advantage. Out of thirty-three seats which will be contested only seven are at present held by Democrats and these are in the solid south where there is no danger of Democratic loss. On the other hand of the twenty-six Republican senators who must seek re-election, many are from the border and doubtful states. The senate now is admittedly close, because of the new coalition of Democrats and radicals, and the Democrats would not

have to win many states to get absolute control of the senate. Of course the Democratic organization has not yet recovered from its complete defeat of last year, but Democrats are pointing out that in senatorial elections, national organizations do not count for so much because the fights between senatorial candidates are usually carried on by organizations more or less local and personal. The Republicans, however, are taking nothing for granted, and hope by hard, consistent work to hold their majority in the senate.

SECRETARY WEEKS LAUDS TRAINING

Builds Better Bodies and Makes Better American Citizens, He Declares

Military training builds better bodies and makes those who get it better Americans, according to Secretary of War Weeks in a recent address to the Associated Military Colleges and Schools in convention here. The secretary declared that the people of America need the stabilizing influence which military training pro-

vides, and military training is a fit to our citizenry in peace as well as in war times. Even if war were abolished, Mr. Weeks declared, military training in schools would be worth more than its cost.

"No more convincing evidence is needed than that military schools and colleges are notably free from the many unsound theories, ideas and practices that thrive like chikadees in some of our other educational institutions," said Mr. Weeks. "The Americanism of yours has never been questioned."

"I sometimes think that our educators as a whole do not appreciate the vital relation of the body to the mind. At a citizens' training camp it has been demonstrated that even a month as a soldier will produce noticeable and lasting physical benefits. Soldierly habits once acquired are not easily lost.

"Our citizens have more individual freedom and rights than those of any other nation. They have need for a greater sense of civic responsibility. They need the restraining influence that comes from military training, its belief in the law of service and cooperation, its respect for the rights of others."

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One of the popular songs in the United States just now is a well called "All Alone." It is stated that over in Europe they sing it "All Alone."

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