

# The Suffrage News Bulletin

Monthly Organ of The Connecticut Woman Suffrage Association.

Vol. 5



Hartford, Connecticut, August, 1918.

No. 5



Left to Right — Miss Grace Murray, Miss Stella Worth Jones, Mrs. Will Seeley, Miss Katharine Ludington, Mrs. Clement Fuller, Mrs. M. Willard Fleck, and Miss Edith Hastings.

(Photographed by Bridgeport Sunday Herald.)

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE C. W. S. A.

*Dear Suffragists:*

My message to you for this month is *Signatures Campaign!!*

It is one of the most important pieces of work we have ever undertaken and one of the biggest. Our association is fully able to make a success of it and we can finish it this month if each one of you will take hold and push it.

I saw Mrs. Catt the other day, and this is her message, too.

We must prove how many women in Connecticut want to vote.

Sincerely, KATHARINE LUDINGTON.

Miss Daphne Selden, State Organizer, especially requests that each town, as fast as its quota is completed, notify headquarters, and suggests that others keep up the good work and continue to "carry on." The joy of keeping in the lead should be an incentive to Tolland, and a spirit of competition should arouse others to contest this leadership.

## DEPUTATION WAITS UPON LIEUT.-GOV. WILSON

The ever progressive women of Fairfield County have taken the initiative in forming a deputation to wait upon candidates for state and county offices. On August 4th a large delegation of prominent suffrage workers, headed by Miss Ludington, State President, called upon Lieutenant-Governor Wilson, who is a candidate on the Republican ticket to succeed himself. They were cordially received, and were assured by the candidate that he strongly favors the Federal Suffrage Amendment and will do anything in his power to help the suffrage cause. Miss Ludington, in speaking to Mr. Wilson, pointed out that since the Republican party is not in power at the present time it is really on trial to show how it might better conditions. She referred to the strong endorsement given to suffrage and to the Federal Amendment by the national Republican party, "but," she added, "the Republican party in Connecticut has shown itself to be blind, cowardly and evasive on the

