



OFFICERS OF THE DALLAS EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE WERE FIRST TO ENROLL FOR THE PRIMARIES

The enrollment of Texas women for participation in the primaries July 27th broke the record. Word received at the offices of the National American Woman Suffrage Association from Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, president of the Texas Equal Suffrage Association, stated that the number of women enrolling would in all probability reach 400,000. This is a phenomenal record, and establishes anew their claim that women do want to vote. And when Primary day came they voted. Out of the 750,000 votes cast about 625,000 were against James Ferguson, the previously impeached Governor of Texas, who entered the lists for a renomination. Governor Ferguson had brought in a minority report at the National Democratic Convention in St. Louis in 1916 against woman suffrage, and the women remembered. As reported in the New York Times "The woman vote swept Texas. Every man they indorsed won by a huge majority."