El Paso, Texas
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Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham
Pres. Texas Equal Suffrage Association,

My dear Madam President,

Two or three interesting communications have been received recently from you which I'll now try to answer.

First about the photo of myself. - I have none that I can use, all are much too old, and last week I was ill so that I could not have one taken. I shall endeavor very soon to have one taken and send it with a short write up as soon as possible. I intended having a photo taken before leaving Los Angeles as it seems there are occasional calls for the same, but failed to do so. I care so little for pictures of myself that I seldom

sit for one. — The second letter about Mrs. Reid's proposition. I took it up with our League last Thurs. when they voted to send a box of clothing at an early date.

A Com. of three is at work on it. We are pleased to help in this way and hope many suffragists will respond to her appeal.

A list of soldier relatives of suffragists has been completed but is now in the hands of a reporter for publication before being sent on to you. As soon as she returns it to me I'll send it on, probably in a couple of days. You will find it a most interesting list, I'm sure. I see the Com. secured names in states other than Texas, but that probably will

not matter. - Our League has resumed its fall meetings.

I want to hold an evening meeting soon to interest men especially, with the Federal Amendment as the leading topic. Aside from the leaflets you sent, (all of one kind) and a booklet by Carrie Chapman Catt, I have no other literature. Can you send me something suitable for that meeting, also suggestions for making it a success. You probably have several original ideas on how to interest the people.

If we seem a little slow in responding to requests it is because we are giving this week to "Festival of the Allies", a Red Cross affair where the Suffrage League will have a booth. I'll enclose clipping

from to-night's paper. We intend selling a large number of Xmas calendars a little later to help raise money for our League, the latter not to be a Red Cross affair unless we fail to make it a "go" otherwise. Then we'll be able to do a little more to help the state work probably. We'll know better after we try selling our calendars. They are decidedly pretty and will sell at $1.00 each, one half to go to the author, the other half to the League.

Do you and Miss Engle still hope to work in the El Paso district in November as you thought of doing last spring? We'd all be glad to see you. Hoping you are well, with best wishes for all success in your work, I am,

Cordially yours,
Belle C. Critchett

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