

WOMEN WILL TAKE A PART.
They Will Be Active in the Campaign in Kansas City, Kan.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 11.—Thirty women met Friday afternoon in the Portsmouth building in Kansas City, Kan., to talk politics. There was no tobacco smoke, there were no bursts of flowery eloquence, none of the women made pleas for office and in many ways this meeting differed from the ordinary political gathering.

During the meeting the chairman asked all women who had registered to rise, and about twenty of them stood up. At the close of the meeting all who hadn't registered went to the office of the commissioner of elections and had their names placed on the poll books.

It was decided to hold a mass meeting in Portsmouth hall next Tuesday afternoon. All women of Kansas City, Kan., will be invited. The women of Armourdale will hold a mass meeting to-night at Welch's hall and in Argentine next Monday night the female voters will also hold a mass meeting.

This activity was brought about by the efforts of the equal suffrage society of Wyandotte county. The primary object is to urge the women of the city to register so that they can vote at the city election April 4. The law of Kansas gives them a voice in city affairs, but last spring a mere handful of women voted. This spread alarm in the hearts of the supporters of equal suffrage.

A house to house canvass is to be made. Every woman in the city will be urged to register and vote. Foreign born women will be asked to become naturalized citizens. The object of the mass meetings is to appoint committees to make the canvass and to discuss the situation. There will be no color line. Colored women will be asked to register and vote.

This morning Mrs. Anna Potter announced herself as a candidate for mayor of Kansas City, Kan., and gave this card to the press:

I announce myself independent candidate for mayor of Kansas City, Kan., and ask all voters to place my name at the head of their ticket.

MRS. ANNA POTTER.

Mrs. Potter is well known. She is the wife of Eli Potter, an insurance agent in the Heist building, this city, who owned the Potter house in Kansas City, Kan., the costly structure destroyed by fire about six months ago.

Thirty-Five Clerks Bounced.

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