

Star Actress Ardent Woman Suffragist
Western Men Are Most Broad Minded



Miss Henrietta Crossman.

Stage fright hardly seems in keeping with the character of a great actress. does it? Yet here is the case of Henrietta Crossman, who has been a great actress, a star at the very top of her profession, for a good many years, but gets stage fright so badly at mere thought of having to make a speech that her knees tremble, her voice deserts her, and her tongue cleaves, as tongues will cleave, till all in all she feels 100 per cent like the little school-boy about to speak his first piece.

When she is asked to make a speech before a woman's club on some such subject as woman suffrage, Miss Crossman forgets that she is a great artist and becomes simply a trembling human being, who hopes wildly that an earthquake or something will happen to disrupt the meeting before her turn comes. The straits is so real and so trying on her health that in justice to herself and her work on the stage, she has found that she simply must decline such invitations.

Favors Woman Suffrage.

So while Miss Crossman, who played at the Helix last night and will appear again tonight in "The Real Thing," is an ardent woman suffragist, her participation in the battle will have to be of the silent kind, she explained behind the scenes last night just before the curtain went up on the first act.

"Of course, I'm for woman suffrage," she said warmly, as she gave her gown a final pat, and sat in the dressing room to await the first bell. "Everybody is for it these days. I think it is bound to come, and to come in a very few years, too. Of course, it will come out here in the west before it comes in the east, but even in old New York we shall have it very soon."

"Everything good seems to come out of the west, and woman suffrage is no exception. You can't realize as I do what a difference there is between the east and the west. It's not only in the country, but in the people."

"I like the west. I like to play in the west. The western men are so much bigger and broader, they seem to make so much more of their lives, and their attitude is so much more kindly. They are not narrow minded as they are in the east. Perhaps it's because the country is so big, or it's in the air, or because people who want to escape narrow mindedness come out here; but anyway it's thoroughly true. I suppose that's why woman suffrage has started here first."

"My own idea of woman suffrage is that the participation of women in politics will take off the rough edges of politics, just as it does with everything else in which women take a part. The influence of women is softening in any-

thing. You know how rough a camp of men alone will get, no matter who they are, but let a few of their wives come to the camp and see how the roughness suddenly ceases!"

Men Can Assist.
 "Men can do better with the help and cooperation of women in anything they try, and politics is no exception. I can't see how woman suffrage is going to be put off much longer. It will come almost of itself from now on."

"I should like very much to be able to take an active part in the campaign, but my first duty lies with the people out in front, the folks who come to see me play. I owe it to them to be always at my best, with my mind free and my thoughts fresh, so you see I can't devote the time to the suffrage cause that I should like to do. I must sacrifice one to the other, and as I am an artist, my profession must come first."

"The stage is one place where sex doesn't count against one. The woman has just as good a chance as the man to succeed. Here it is a matter of ability alone, and the woman who succeeds in her profession can earn just as much as the man—oh, no, not quite as much, either, perhaps, for there are her clothes."

Miss Crossman is just as optimistic about other things as she is about woman suffrage. One of her hobbies—and perhaps it is not a hobby after all—is the belief that despite all the graft and sordidness of things, the world is growing better, and that mankind is improving.

Believes in Mankind.
 "I'm a great believer in mankind," is the way she puts it. "I think most people are good, and I know that all children are good—every one of them. A child does something bad only when it is following a bad example. A child is naturally truthful and it only lies when it has been taught to lie."

Miss Crossman has two children of her own, one a "boy" of 12, and the other 14 years old. She is a devoted mother to them.

"Good-bye," she said as the bell rang for the first curtain. "I'll say again how much I would like to take an active part in woman suffrage—even to making speeches, if I could. I think the women of Oregon will surely win this

time, and it won't be long before the whole country is following."

Miss Crossman was to have been a guest of honor at a luncheon given by the College Women's Equal Suffrage League at the Imperial today, but she has been under the weather while in Portland and was obliged to decline the invitation.

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