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amendment. In certain secamendment. In certain sec-
tions of the country, entitled to very large electoral votes,
namely, New England and the middle Atlantic states, th
number of women eligible to number of women eligible to
qualify as voters in 1928 is ac
tually in excess of the number tually in excess of the numbe
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should a considerable major against any wet candidate, h
and would be snowed under in the very states to which the antiprohibitionists are looking their electoral support.
But the vital question But the vital question is, of
course, what proportion of the woman vote will be cast? It
is interesting ara encouraging to find day after day the re ports in the newspapers of powerful national organiza-
tions of women beginning the tions of women beginning the
work of urging women to get out and vote. In the past they have not done this. Some
careful studies made by com. careful studies made by com-
petent statisticians of elections in the past are not encouraging. One such estimate is that
while in an Illinois election 74 per cent of the eligible
men voted, only 46 per cent of the women cast their bal-
lots. In a Chicago election the figures were 63 per cent for
men and 35 per cent for womof votes of forty-two states in in the Rock Mountain states
41 per cent of the women voted and in the middle Atlantic states only 31.5 per cent. The lowest percentage in any state Pennsylvania, with 28 per
cent, was a little better, a fact which might reasonably
ascribed to the nature Pennsylvania politics. Rather
an interesting feature of these statistics is that they show
that unmarried women vote in that unmarried women vote in
greatly larger numbers than be content to let their hus bands
polls.
These figures are illuminat ing. but, as we have suggest-
ed, are not conclusive in any sense as to the size or charac-
ter of the vote of women in the event that either political moral issue affecting the prosAmerican home. In such
event we think that the 49
per cent of the voters, the women to whom are practical
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protection of the home, and the education of the children
therein, will come very near Meet the ticket sellers Sun-
day and tell them some of the ELECTRICAL STORM BURNS FARM HOUSE

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the political complexion any locality." But it is fair append to this somewhat dis
couraging record of women politics the fact that there ha not as yet been presented any clear-cut moral issue upo which the women voters migh be united.

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