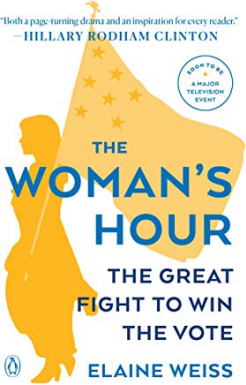
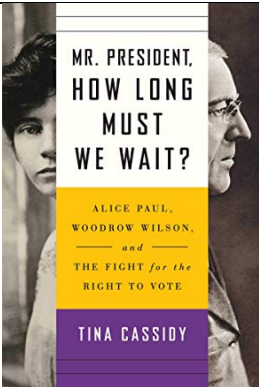
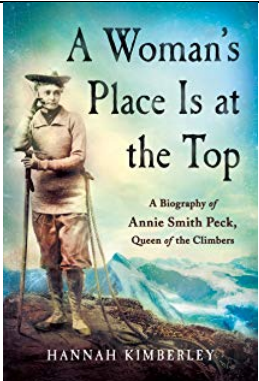
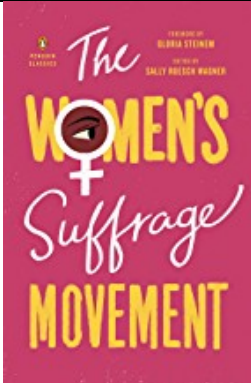

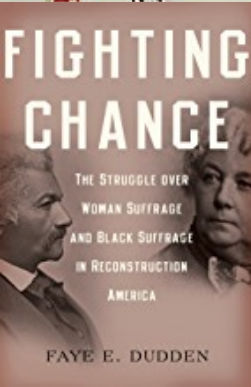
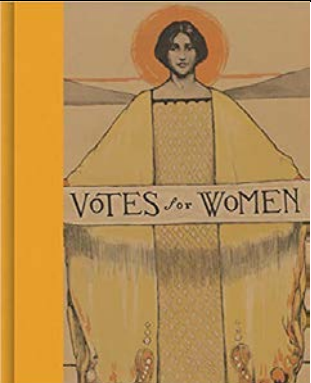
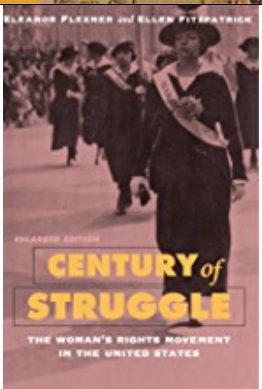
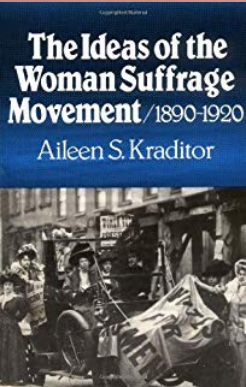

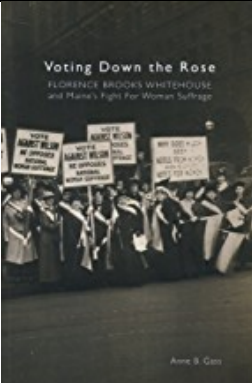
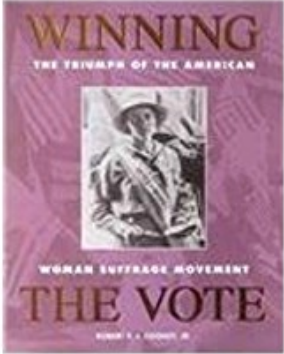
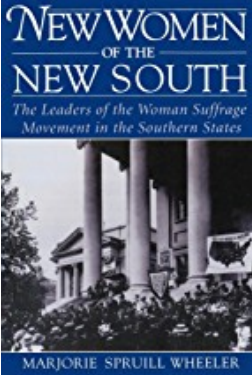
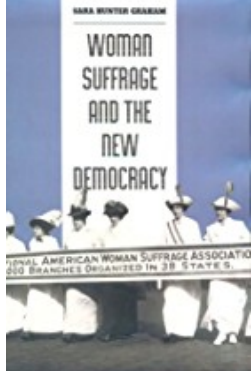


## Books About Women's Suffrage Movement, Women's Rights, League of Women Voters, and Related Children's Books

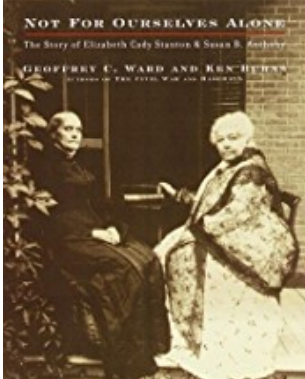
<b>Woman's Suffrage</b>		
<p><i>The Woman's Hour: The Great Fight to Win the Vote</i> by Elaine Weiss (2018)</p>	<p>The book covers the struggle between opposing forces at the apex of the struggle for women's suffrage in 1920, after a seven-decade effort. You feel like you are there in this exciting format. It all comes down to Tennessee...</p> <p>Note: A television movie in collaboration with Hillary Rodham Clinton is in the works for 2020.</p>	
<p><i>Mr. President, How Long Must We Wait?: Alice Paul, Woodrow Wilson, and the Fight for the Right to Vote</i> by Tina Cassidy (2019)</p> <p>Ms. Cassidy is local and may be available to discuss her book.</p>	<p>This book explores the interaction of suffragist Alice Paul and President Woodrow Wilson, as women demonstrated for the right to vote in front of the White House. It combines details about “what it was like” with in depth descriptions of the backgrounds of the two personalities.</p> <p>Consider watching the HBO movie <i>Iron Jawed Angels</i> also, about the same period and events.</p>	
<p><i>A Woman's Place Is at the Top: A Biography of Annie Smith Peck, Queen of the Climbers</i> by Hannah Kimberley (2017)</p> <p>Ms. Kimberley is a member of the Cape Ann League and has spoken at several League events in the North Shore area. <a href="http://www.hannahkimberley.com">www.hannahkimberley.com</a></p>	<p>Thoroughly enjoyable book about a little-known mountain climber and suffragist.</p>	

<p><i>The Women's Suffrage Movement</i> by Sally Roesch Wagner (2019)</p> <p>The author is the founding director of the Matilda Joslyn Gage Foundation, and serves on the New York State Women's Suffrage Commission.</p>	<p>This book is a diverse anthology of women's voices both known and unknown related to the history of women's enfranchisement, including African American suffragists and Native American women with a foreword by Gloria Steinem.</p>	
<p><i>Massachusetts in the Woman Suffrage Movement: Revolutionary Reformers</i> by Barbara F. Berenson (2018)</p> <p>Ms. Berenson lives in the Boston area. She is speaking in Needham on March 15 (see LWV-Needham.org).</p>	<p>The struggle for women's right to vote took over 70 years. This is the story of some lesser known heroes of the movement such as Lucy Stone, that centered in Massachusetts including the Boston-based American Woman Suffrage Association and Woman's Journal</p>	
<p><i>Fighting Chance: The Struggle over Woman Suffrage and Black Suffrage in Reconstruction America</i> by Faye E. Dudden (2014)</p>	<p>This is an in depth scholarly work on the intersection of abolition, women's suffrage, racism and the choices made by leaders to achieve their ends.</p>	
<p><i>Why They Marched: Untold Stories of the Women Who Fought for the Right to Vote</i> by Susan Ware (2019)</p> <p>Ms. Ware is from the Boston area and may be available to speak at League events.</p>	<p>The author provides a vivid history of the diverse group of everyday women who supported the right to vote, profiling nineteen women who worked for the cause.</p>	

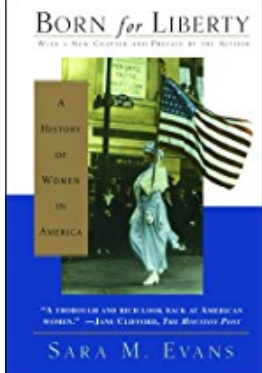
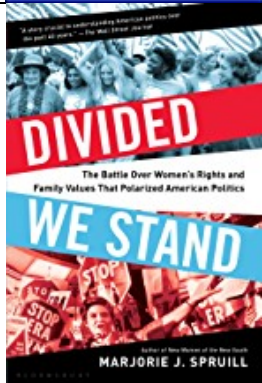
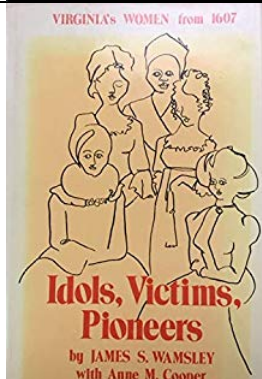
<p><i>Votes for Women: A Portrait of Persistence</i> by Kate Clarke Lemay (2019)</p>	<p>A beautiful book conveying how suffragists used portraiture to recruit others. The book highlights those underrepresented in the usual histories of the movement; published in association with the National Portrait Gallery, Washington, DC</p>	
<p><i>Century of Struggle: The Women's Rights Movement in the United States</i> by Eleanor Flexner and Ellen Fitzpatrick (1959, 1975)</p> <p>Ms. Fitzpatrick is at University of New Hampshire</p>	<p>This book covers women's long struggle for enfranchisement and the tremendous effort required for success.</p>	
<p><i>The Ideas of the Woman Suffrage Movement 1890 - 1920</i> by Aileen S. Kraditor (1965, 1981)</p> <p>The author is at Boston University</p>	<p>The author explores the principles that provided the foundational ideas for the women's suffrage movement and the development of other rationales over the course of the push for women's enfranchisement.</p>	
<p><i>One Woman, One Vote: Rediscovering the Women's Suffrage Movement</i> by Marjorie Spruill Wheeler (1995)</p>	<p>The companion book to the film of the same name is comprised of 19 articles written to cover the diversity of those in the suffragist movement and those who supported them, including scandals and bigotry.</p>	


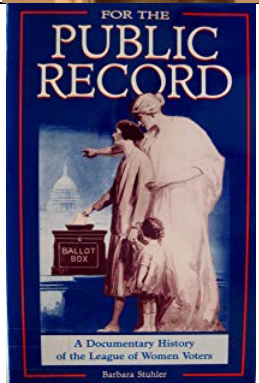
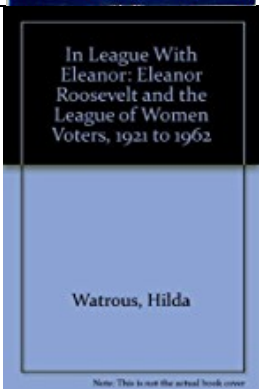
<p><i>Voting Down the Rose: Florence Brooks Whitehouse &amp; Maine's Fight for Woman Suffrage</i> by Anne B. Gass (2014)</p> <p>Ms. Gass lives in Maine and is available for public speaking.</p>	<p>This book traces the story of Florence Brooks Whitehouse of Maine as she works toward women's suffrage, despite a variety of hardships. It is written by her granddaughter, who assembled historical artifacts for the story.</p>	
<p><i>Winning the Vote: The Triumph of the American Woman Suffrage Movement</i> by Robert P. J. Cooney, Jr. (2005)</p>	<p>This book was created in celebration of the 85th anniversary of the approval of the 19th amendment in association with the Women's History Project. It chronologically traces the history of the movement from 1848 to 1920 with photos, essays and pictures of artifacts of the period.</p>	
<p><i>New Women of the New South</i> by Marjorie Spruill Wheeler (1993)</p>	<p>This book profiles eleven Southern suffragist leaders, their motivations, ideals and interactions with their northern sisters.</p>	
<p><i>Woman Suffrage and the New Democracy</i> By Sara Hunter Graham (1996)</p>	<p>The author examines the effectiveness and tactics of the National American Women's Suffrage Association as the first single-issue pressure group formed to pass the 19th Amendment.</p>	

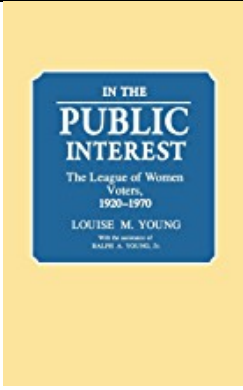

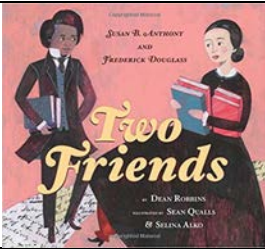
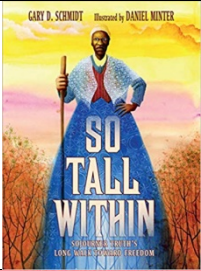
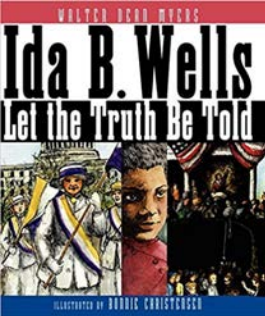


<p><i>Not for Ourselves Alone: The Story of Elizabeth Cady Stanton &amp; Susan B. Anthony</i> by Geoffrey C. Ward and Ken Burns (1999)</p>	<p>The book was created to accompany the film of the same name that traces the friendship of Stanton and Anthony over the decades as they heroically fought for women's suffrage.</p>	
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## Women's History, Rights, and Movements

<p><i>Born for Liberty: A History of Women in America</i> by Sara M. Evans (1989, 1997)</p>	<p>This book traces the social and political history of the struggle of women in America over time. It is used as a textbook for Women's history classes.</p>	
<p><i>Divided We Stand: The Battle Over Women's Rights and Family Values That Polarized American Politics</i> by Marjorie Spruill (2017)</p>	<p>A fascinating look at how the battle over women's rights in America split political parties, perhaps serving as the initial fissure leading to today's political polarization, beginning with the 1977 National Women's Conference.</p>	
<p><i>Idols, Victims, Pioneers: Virginia's Women from 1607</i> by James Wamsley with Anne Cooper (1976)</p>	<p>The book covers the history of the women of Virginia from 1607 starting with Virginia's English colonization via the London Company, through the 18th Century, Civil War and modernity.</p>	

<p><i>The Paradox of Gender Equality: How American Women's Groups Gained and Lost Their Public Voice</i> by Kristin A. Goss (2013)</p>	<p>This book examines the role of women in politics and political movements along with changing reasons for civic involvement.</p>	
<p><b>League of Women Voters</b></p>		
<p><i>Carrie Chapman Catt: Feminist Politician</i> by Robert Booth Fowler (1986)</p>	<p>Biography of the founder of the League of Women Voters, who had a major role in the suffrage movement.</p>	
<p><i>For the Public Record: A Documentary History of the League of Women Voters</i> by Barbara Stuhler (2003)</p>	<p>This book uses and includes documents from national and local Leagues to detail the evolution of the League of Women Voters over the first 50 years.</p>	
<p><i>In League with Eleanor: Eleanor Roosevelt and the League of Women Voters 1921-1962</i> by Hilda R. Watrous (1984)</p>	<p>This book was produced with the League of Women Voters of New York. Eleanor Roosevelt was an early member of the League of Women Voters, as the League's vice-president of legislative affairs.</p>	

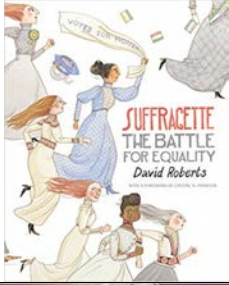
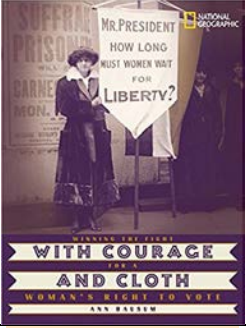

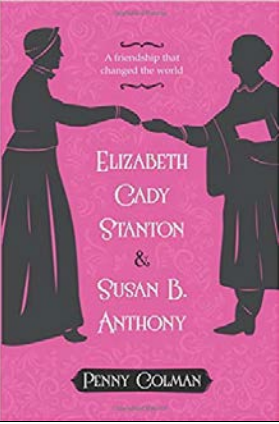
<p><i>In the Public Interest: The League of Women Voters 1920 – 1970</i> by Louise M. Young (1989)</p>	<p>The book provides an in depth look at how the League transformed the energies of women’s suffrage into an organization promoting political participation of women and good government, all the while navigating changing political climate. It is a scholarly work with importance as a historical reference.</p>	
<p><i>Sustaining the League of Women Voters in America</i> by Maria Hoyt Cashin (2012, 2013)</p>	<p>This book follows the ups and downs of this grassroots organization promoting civic engagement.</p>	<p>Sustaining the League of Women Voters in America</p>  <p>MARIA HOYT CASHIN</p>
<p><b>Children, Teens, and Young Adults</b></p>		
<p><i>Two Friends Susan B. Anthony and Frederick Douglass</i> by Dean Robbins, Sean Qualls, Selina Alko (2016)</p>	<p>Children ages 4-8 years</p> <p>A picture book of about the friendship between two activists who worked for equality.</p>	
<p><i>So Tall Within: Sojourner Truth's Long Walk Toward Freedom</i> by Gary D. Schmidt and Daniel Minter (2018)</p>	<p>Children ages 4-8 years</p> <p>A biography told in a picture book about a woman who began life as a slave and became a leader in the fight for rights for blacks and women.</p>	
<p><i>Ida B. Wells: Let the Truth Be Told</i> by Walter Dean Myers and Bonnie Christensen (2015)</p>	<p>Children ages 4- 8 years.</p> <p>This is a child’s biography picture book of the multitalented Ida B. Wells, a woman writer who fought against slavery and then for suffrage.</p>	



<p><i>Miss Paul and the President: The Creative Campaign for Women's Right to Vote</i> by Dean Robbins (Author), Nancy Zhang (Illustrator) (2016)</p>	<p>Children ages 5- 8 years</p> <p>The story of Alice Paul, a woman who sought women's rights and dramatically finished the push for women's suffrage, organizing a parade, picketing the White House, being arrested, asking President Wilson for the vote for women.</p>	
<p><i>Around America to Win the Vote: Two Suffragists, a Kitten, and 10,000 Miles Hardcover</i> by Mara Rockliff (Author), Hadley Hooper (Illustrator) (2016)</p>	<p>Children ages 5- 8 years</p> <p>A true story of two suffragists, Nell Richardson and Alice Burke, traveling the country in a yellow car seeking votes for women in a picture book format.</p>	
<p><i>Elizabeth Started All the Trouble</i> by Doreen Rappaport (Author), Matt Faulkner (Illustrator) (2016)</p>	<p>Children ages 6- 9 years</p> <p>A picture book that shows the beginning of the women's suffrage movement and role of Elizabeth Cady Stanton.</p>	
<p><i>My Name Is Truth: The Life of Sojourner Truth</i> by Ann Turner and James Ransome (2015)</p>	<p>Children ages 6-10 years.</p> <p>Isabella Baumfree once was a slave, and became Sojourner Truth and effective orator and preacher who was critical to the abolitionist movement and later to women's suffrage. This biography is told in her own voice.</p>	
<p><i>Elizabeth Leads the Way</i> by Tanya Lee Stone (Author), Rebecca Gibbon (Illustrator) (2010)</p>	<p>Children ages 6-10 years.</p> <p>This is a picture book biography of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, showing what it was like for women and what she was up against seeking the vote for women.</p>	



<p><i>Susan B. Anthony: Fighter for Women's Rights</i> (Ready-to-read SOFA) by Deborah Hopkinson and Amy June Bates (2005)</p>	<p>Children ages 6- 8 years</p> <p>Fact –filled biography of Susan B. Anthony details growing up with different rights for men and women and her push for women’s suffrage.</p>	
<p><i>Bold &amp; Brave: Ten Heroes Who Won Women the Right to Vote</i> by Kirsten Gillibrand and Maira Kalman (2018)</p>	<p>Children ages 6-9 years</p> <p>The stories in a picture book of ten leaders who sought rights for women.</p>	
<p><i>Women's Suffrage (Blast Back!)</i> by Nancy Ohlin and Roger Simó (2018)</p>	<p>Children ages 7-10 years</p> <p>A book that surveys the women’s suffrage movement in America in the context of women’s rights.</p>	
<p><i>I Could Do That!: Esther Morris Gets Women the Vote</i> by Linda Arms White and Nancy Carpenter (2005)</p>	<p>Children ages 7-9 years.</p> <p>Esther Morris was a real women with a can-do attitude who was instrumental in getting the vote for women in the state of Wyoming.</p>	
<p><i>If You Lived When Women Won Their Rights</i> by Anne Kamma and Pamela Johnson (2008)</p>	<p>Children ages 7- 10 years</p> <p>Author details life in a time when women could not go to college or even ride a bike and the beginning of the women’s rights movement and the many women leaders.</p>	

<p><i>Suffragette: The Battle for Equality</i> by David Roberts (2019)</p>	<p>Children age 7-10 years</p> <p>The author covers key moments in the women's suffrage movement as it emerged in Great Britain and America.</p>	
<p><i>With Courage and Cloth: Winning the Fight for a Woman's Right to Vote</i> by Ann Bausum (2004)</p>	<p>Teen and Young Adult</p> <p>The author creates a detailed story of the women's suffrage movement including the conflict between internal factions of the movement.</p>	
<p><i>Carrie Chapman Catt: A Life of Leadership</i> by Nate Levin (1999)</p>	<p>Teen and Young Adult</p> <p>This biography of Carrie Chapman Catt (1859-1947), leader of the woman's suffrage movement and founder of the League of Women Voters.</p>	
<p><i>Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony: A Friendship That Changed the World</i> by Penny Colman (2016)</p>	<p>Teen and Young Adult</p> <p>This is the story of friendship between Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony and the founding of the women's suffrage movement.</p>	
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