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The Women Voters

“THE RESULTS of woman suffrage have not come up to expectations. In general, the women have voted for the same motives and for the same types of candidate as the men. It is claimed they have been more susceptible to the cajolery of the demagogue. Thus far they have not been interested or willing to perform the routine work of party operation.”

So comments a leading political science textbook on the adoption of the Nineteenth Amendment. For our part, we are reluctant to find fault with the ladies for having motives and wisdom no better than our own, and on the other points we are frankly glad it is not up to us to cast the first stone.

On the contrary, we rise to offer a sincere word of tribute to the women voters and their organizations, and specifically the League of Women Voters, for their sincere, unselfish and intelligent interest in the betterment of the administration of justice throughout the country. Let's face it—there are subjects more fascinating than judicial organization and procedure. Yet in state after state, the League of Women Voters has adopted judicial reform as a major objective, and through study groups, distribution of literature, personal contact and otherwise, its members not only have educated themselves but have made a significant contribution to general public understanding of the issues and their importance.

The elective process being what it is, no one agency or group ever can take full credit or blame for a vote going one way or the other; but

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