

Visual Materials from the National Woman's Party Records



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Collection Summary

Title: Visual Materials from the National Woman's Party Records

Inclusive Dates: 1884-ca. 1965

Bulk Dates: 1920-1960

Call No.: Guide Record

Extent: ca. 550 items

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Prints and Photographs Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

LC Catalog record: <https://lccn.loc.gov/2001696350>

Summary: Includes primarily portraits of National Woman's Party (NWP) officers, suffragists, politicians and business women; NWP meetings and formal gatherings; women delegates at United Nations sessions on human and civil rights; views of the organization's headquarters at Washington, D.C.; postcards depicting women's suffrage slogans; anti-war posters from the National Council for Prevention of War, the American Friends Service Committee, and the Women's International League.

Online Content: To see already digitized images from this collection, search our [Online Catalog](#) by call number, title, or descriptive words.

Provenance

Transfer; LC Manuscript Division (Records of the National Woman's Party); 1986, 2021; (DLC/PP-1986:212; DLC/PP-2021:012).

Processing History

The collection was processed. Finding aid encoded in July 2002.

Additional materials that form the Visual Materials from the National Woman's Party Records not included in this finding aid are: Unprocessed in PR 13 CN 2021:012 Visual materials from the National Woman's Party records (unprocessed portion). For more information about service of these additional materials, search our [Online Catalog](#) by call number.

Transfers

Materials were transferred from the Manuscript Division to the Prints and Photographs Division. A portion of the collection is still located in the Manuscript Division and can be identified as part of the National Woman's Party records, 1850-1975. An inventory of this material is available in their [finding aid](#). More information about the division can be found at the Manuscript Division [Homepage](#) and [Contact Page](#).

Rights Restrictions

No known donor restrictions. Rights status of individual images not evaluated. For general information see: "[Copyright and Other Restrictions...](#)"

Access Restrictions

The collection is open to research.

Requesting Materials

For information about service in the Prints and Photographs Reading Room, including obtaining copies, see "[Information for Researchers](#)."

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Preferred Citation

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Scope and Content Note

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Arrangement

Organized by subject and by format into the following filing series which serve as call number designations:

- [LOT 13445](#) (photographs and prints)
- [POS - U.S.](#): (Posters)
- [Supplementary Archives](#) (Printing plates)
- LC-MISC (negatives and transparencies)

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

Organizations

National Woman's Party

National Woman's Party--1880-1970.

Subjects

Women's suffrage--1880-1970.

Women--Civil rights--1920-1970.

Women--Organizations--1920-1970.

Women--Political activity--1920-1970.

Form/Genre

Group portraits--1880-1970.

Negatives--1920-1970.

Photographic prints--1880-1970.

Photomechanical prints--1880-1940.

Portrait photographs--1880-1970.

Postcards--1880-1970.

Printing plates--1920-1970.

Proofs--1920-1970.

Protest posters--1910-1940.

Slides--1880-1970.

Tintypes--1880-1930.

Description of Series

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Organized roughly by subject.

Printing plates

Four printing plates are in the Supplementary Archives (Suppl. Archive) filing series. Two depict a woman on a horse and the slogan "forward into light"; a third reproduces the "jailhouse door" commemorative pin designed by Alice Paul in 1917; the fourth is a half-tone plate depicting a portrait of an unidentified woman.

Posters ca. 1910-ca. 1940

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World peace. Before another Christmas still less of armament and none of war [1918?]

Rochon-Hoover, artist

Call No.: POS - U.S. R618, no. 1 (B size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) : color ; 49 x 32 cm.

The whole earth is every child's home. No matter where his home is, the whole earth today is every child's treasure chest and workshop and playroom [193-]

Rochon-Hoover, artist

Call No.: POS - U.S. R618, no. 2 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster): color ; 45 x 30 cm.

Labor fights wars and then pays for them. Organize for peace. [193-]

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 2 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 78 x 53 cm.

Disputes will continue to arise between nations. Do you want them settled by reason or poison gas? By a world court or world war? [193-]

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 3 (B size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 63 x 47 cm.

General pact for the renunciation of war. . . 1929

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 4 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) : color ; 110 x 68 cm.

U.S. presidents for 30 years have favored a world court! Write your 2 senators. We must join now. 1931

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 5 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 55 x 41 cm.

Remove a cause of war. Provide access for all nations to the world's resources and markets.

Will you pay this price for peace? [193-]

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

American Friends Service Committee, funder/sponsor

Women's International League, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 6 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 55 x 41 cm.

Law not war [193-]

Rochon Hoover, artist

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 7 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 61 x 46 cm.

Betraying humanity! Private trading in armaments knows no frontier, no patriotism, no humanity. The government must prevent it. [193-]

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

American Friends Service Committee, funder/sponsor

Women's International League, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 8 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 55 x 42 cm.

The world must choose at the world disarmament conference [193-]

Talbur, Harold M., 1895-1966, artist (attributed)

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N 372, no. 9 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 56 x 44 cm.

The sermon on the mount. Poverty or peace? Armaments or bread? World disarmament conference [193-]

Talbur, Harold M., 1895-1966, artist (attributed)

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 10 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 56 x 44 cm.

Machine massacre. War the world's enemy. Support disarmament conference. [193-]

National Council for Prevention of War, funder/sponsor

Call No.: POS - U.S. N372, no. 11 (C size)

Extent: 1 print (poster) ; 56 x 38 cm.