## Work Among Women: A *Progressive Woman* Leaflet. [circa 1912]

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There are a number of reasons why the Socialist Party should carry on special propaganda among women. Among them are the following:

Woman is disfranchised. The Socialist Party demands equal suffrage for all, regardless of sex, color, or race.

Woman's disfranchisement is a great factor in holding here in economic slavery.

Woman's position in industry is of a much lower status than man's. She seldom receives equal wages for the same grade of work.

Woman has become a very large part of the industrial world. She is the most formidable competitor man has in the industries.

Woman is the mother of the race. She needs education that she may intelligently point the way to freedom to her children.

Woman is one-half the race. Without her support we cannot bring in the Cooperative Commonwealth.

As Franklin Wentworth has said, "We must never for a moment neglect the propaganda work we can do within the walls of our own homes; for until women enter heart and soul into all our councils and all our efforts, I can not bring myself to have great hopes for Socialism, and I know that capitalism will have small fears of it."

*The Progressive Woman* is published for the purpose of reaching women and educating them to think from the Socialist standpoint. It is the only publication in America devoted to this cause.

Many of the ablest thinkers and writers in the Socialist movement contribute to *The Progressive Woman*. It has been endorsed by the National Woman's Committee of the Socialist Party, and is recommended as a part of their propaganda literature.

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