Guide to the Women's history, suffrage, and equal rights collection Mss 371


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Abstract: Pamphlets, newsletters, and feminist publications including *Women's World* and *Redstockings*, documenting radical feminism in the 1970s. The collection also includes miscellaneous ephemera related to women's suffrage and equal rights from the early 20th century.
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Acquisition Information
Library purchase, 2018.
Scope and Content
This collection contains pamphlets, newsletters, and feminist publications including *Women's World* and *Redstockings*, documenting radical feminism in the 1970s.
Pamphlets and newsletters include material by the Red Women's Detachment and the Marxist-Leninist Party on class war, women's defense, marriage, children, and family and the sexual exploitation of women, as well as a pamphlet by Christian Crusade Publications on women's liberation, the ERA, and communism.
The collection also includes miscellaneous ephemera related to women's suffrage and equal rights from the early 20th century, including plank literature for suffrage from Carrie Chapman Catt, a pamphlet by birth control leader Mary Ware Dennett, a variety of letters related to equal rights and equal pay, and a Women's Clubs of California directory for 1904-1905.
Subjects and Indexing Terms
Feminism -- United States -- History -- 20th century
Women -- Legal status, laws, etc. -- United States -- History -- 20th century
Women -- Suffrage -- United States -- History -- 20th century
Women's rights -- United States -- History -- 20th century
Newsletters
Pamphlets
Printed ephemera
Publications (documents)

| box 1, folder 1 | Newsletters and pamphlets 1971-1972 |
| box 1, folder 2 | *Woman's World* 1971 |
| box 1, folder 3 | *Redstockings: Feminist Revolution* undated |
| box 1, folder 4 | Miscellaneous ephemera related to women's suffrage and equal rights including plank literature for suffrage from Carrie Chapman Catt, pamphlet written by birth control leader Mary Ware Dennett, and a variety of letters related to equal rights and equal pay undated |
box 1, folder 5  Women's Club of California Official Directory for 1904-1905