

# Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Washington, D.C., Records

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## Collection Summary

Title: Susan B. Anthony Foundation (Washington, D.C.) Records

Span Dates: 1895-1943

ID No.: MSS41996

Creator: Susan B. Anthony Foundation (Washington, D.C.)

Extent: 1,300 items; 6 containers; 2.4 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Organization founded to promote women's issues. Correspondence, bylaws and constitution, minutes, reports, financial records, membership lists, scrapbook, clippings, printed matter, and other material related to the foundation, which from its establishment in 1912 until 1924 was known as the Anthony League of the District of Columbia.

## Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### People

Anthony, Susan B. (Susan Brownell), 1820-1906.

Hendley, Anna E.

### Organizations

Anthony League of the District of Columbia. Anthony League of the District of Columbia records.

District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs.

District of Columbia Woman Suffrage Association. District of Columbia Woman Suffrage Association records.

General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Juvenile Protective Association of the District of Columbia.

National League of Women Voters (U.S.)

Susan B. Anthony Foundation (Washington, D.C.)

### Subjects

Women--Suffrage.

Women.

## Administrative Information

### Provenance

The records of the Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Washington, D.C., an organization founded to promote women's issues, were deposited in the Library of Congress in 1954.

### Copyright Status

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of the Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Washington, D.C., is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

### Access and Restrictions

The records of the Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Washington, D.C., are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

## Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Washington, D.C., Records, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

## Scope and Content Note

The records of the Susan B. Anthony Foundation, Washington, D.C., span the years 1895-1943 and include correspondence, bylaws and constitution, minutes, reports, financial records, membership lists, a scrapbook, clippings, and printed matter. The foundation was known as the Anthony League of the District of Columbia from its establishment in 1912 until 1924.

Included in the collection are biographical materials concerning Susan B. Anthony and records of the District of Columbia Woman Suffrage Association. Correspondence relates to the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs, the Juvenile Protective Association of the District of Columbia, and the National League of Women Voters (U.S.). Anna E. Hendley, founder and president of the foundation, is represented in the collection.

## Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is arranged by type of material.

# Container List

<i>Container</i>	<i>Contents</i>
BOX 1	Address book, 1919
BOX 1	Bylaws, 1932, undated
BOX 1	Chronological file
BOX 1	1909-1938 (8 folders)
BOX 2	Undated (6 folders)
BOX 2	Commonplace book, 1899-1906
BOX 3	Correspondence
BOX 3	1912-1928 (8 folders)
BOX 4	1929-1943, undated (6 folders)
BOX 4	<i>Equal Rights</i> , 1935-1937
BOX 4	Financial records
BOX 4	1895-1913 (2 folders)
BOX 5	1915-1934, undated (3 folders)
BOX 5	Membership lists, 1913-1927 (2 folders)
BOX 5	Minute books
BOX 5	1917-1923 (5 folders)
BOX 6	1925, 1931-1933 (2 folders)
BOX 6	Pledge cards, undated
BOX 6	Printed matter, 1925-1926
BOX 6	Recording and correspondence book, 1929-1931
BOX 6	Scrapbook, 1912-1921
BOX 6	Testimony, 1896