

WOMAN SUFFRAGE CONVENTION.

One Speaker Said That When Women of This State Want the Ballot They Will Get It.

GENEVA, N. Y., Nov. 4.—At the morning meeting of the Woman Suffrage Association to-day reports were made by the Executive and Finance committees and the Corresponding Secretary. The Treasurer reported receipts during the year of \$3,076.79; disbursements, \$2,391.15; balance, \$685.64. The Credentials Committee reported eighteen counties, represented by ninety-four delegates. Ada A. Craft of Brooklyn was received as a fraternal delegate from the W. C. T. U. Miss Craft said: "I bring greetings from 21,000 white ribboners. The more thoroughly each of these societies understands the other the more thoroughly will they cooperate."

At the afternoon meeting Mrs. Mariana W. Chapman of Brooklyn was unanimously re-elected President and Elnora M. Babcock of Dunkirk Vice-President.

The Rev. Anna Howard Shaw of Philadelphia conducted the question box. Replying to a question she said: "In New York State woman does not know enough to be a Democrat, is not good enough to be a Republican, has not suffered enough to be a Populist, and is not sober enough to be a Prohibitionist."

Mary Lewis Gannett of Rochester said: "Is it or is it not my duty to want and to have a voice in the method of education of my children? When the women of this State want the ballot they will have it. What a woman wants enough she gets."

At the evening session Mary Seymour Howell of Albany, speaking on fifty years of suffrage agitation, said: "The reason why suffrage has not conquered in this State is because of the rabble in New York city."

Harriet A. Keyser of New York city spoke on "The Woman Question and the Labor Movement," and Julia R. Jenny of Syracuse spoke on "Property Rights of Woman."

The Rev. Annis Ford Eastman of Elmira, speaking on "Woman's Rights," said: "Woman, like man, cannot claim but one indefeasible right—that to her own nature held in fee-simple from her Creator."