

Suffragettes

Wednesday 24th February

L.O. To find out about the women's suffrage movement.

Millicent Fawcett



(1847 - 1929)

A leading campaigner for women's rights in Britain. For over 20 years she led the country's largest suffrage organisation, the NUWSS. She believed in peaceful campaigns, such as petitioning the government and holding marches.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/22766676>

Interesting Fact...

Millicent's sister, Elizabeth Garrett Anderson, was the first English female doctor.

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Anti-suffragists

Many were opposed to the women's suffrage movement. These people were called anti-suffragists.

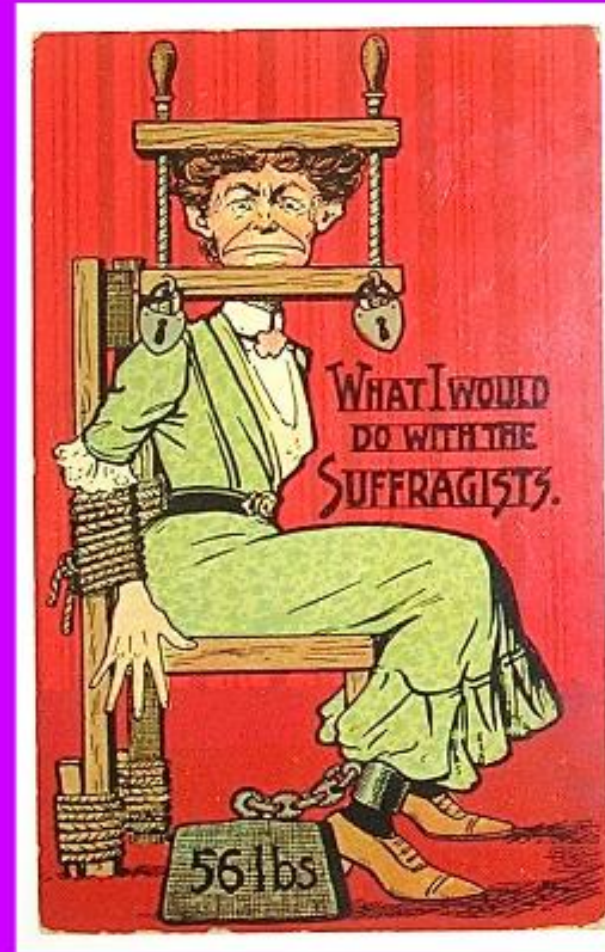
Why do you think they may have been against?

Look at the anti-suffrage propaganda on the rest few pages and discuss.

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Anti-suffragist Propaganda

What are the posters and postcards trying to say?
How does this make you feel?



ORIGIN AND DEVELOPMENT OF A SUFFRAGETTE.



At 15
a little
Pet.



At 20
a little
Coquette

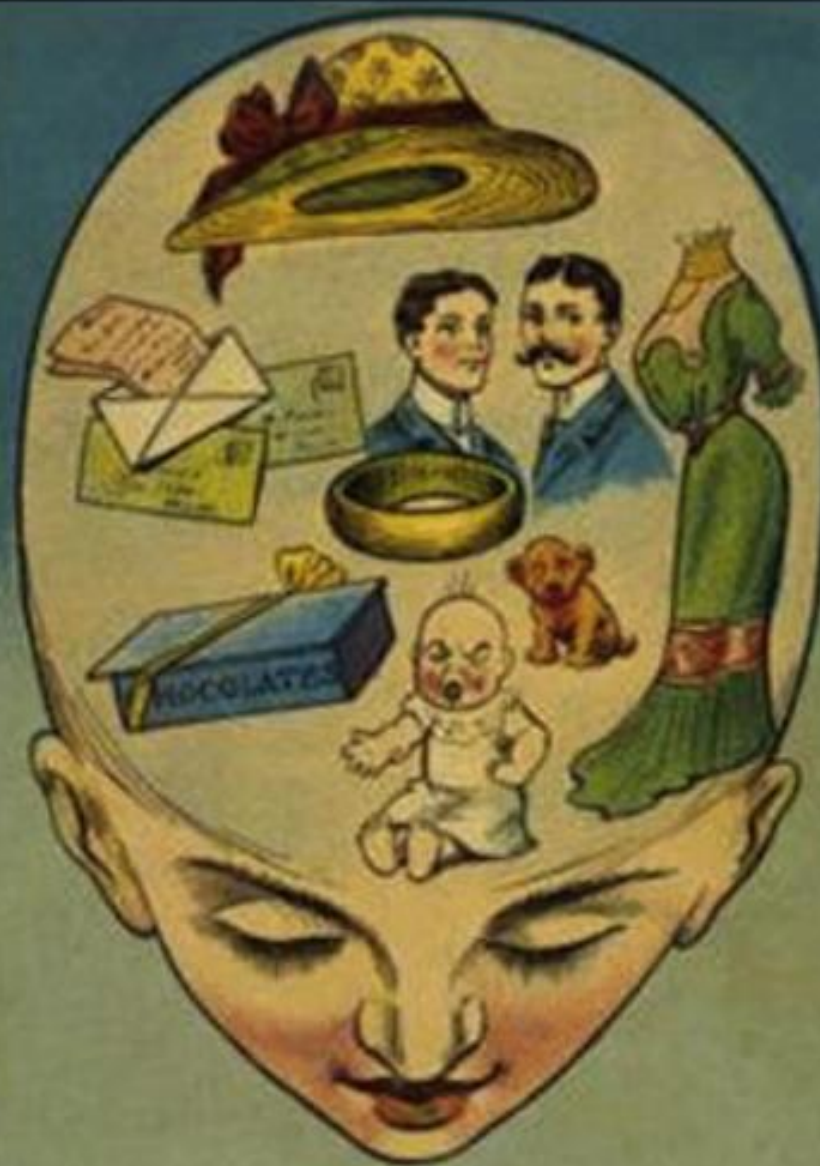


At 40 not
married
yet!



At 50
A Suffragette.





A WOMAN'S MIND
MAGNIFIED

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Anti-suffragist Propaganda

Task 2

For each of the three posters, explain what they are trying to say.

Do you think this is fair or unfair?

How does it make you feel?

Write a paragraph for each one.

