

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

*"Women decide the larger questions of life correctly and quickly, not because they are lucky guessers, not because they are divinely inspired, not because they practice a magic inherited from savagery, but simply and solely because they have sense."*

*. . . H.L. Mencken*

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As no history is ever finished, this document has been arranged in parts to which future contributions may be added — today's meeting is tomorrow's history! It is my hope that others will continue what I have begun.

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