

Lady Henry Somerset

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Died March 12. -

Champion of advanced social causes -
welfare of women & children

Strong temperance advocate - President of the
British Women's Temperance Association 1889

Made her first speech on this subject 1885

President also of the

World Women's ^{Chairman} Temperance ~~Association~~

Founded & edited Woman's Signal

Did not however believe that all would be right
with the world if people (husbands particularly)
stopped drinking to excess.

Advocates Women's Suffrage, even in days of
contempt & mockery & days when militancy
had called for the greatest opposition.

Spoke on national platforms

She believed in the practical - so

founded

Industrial Farm Colony at Duxhurst 1895-
claimed that farm ^{gardens} work, crafts & homely living
cured 65% of inebriate women there

Maintained a home for children deprived of home
life by intemperance for 15 yrs

Wrote many books - versatile speaker.

She organized the Women's Meeting
and before she died.