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Central Society for Women's Suffrage. [Special fund for advertising.]

April, 1907.

It has been represented to the Committee that much misapprehension prevails as to the objects and methods of this Society, and that such misapprehension can hardly be met and removed either by Women's Suffrage Meetings or the diffusion of literature, as these measures do not reach the great body of the British public. It has been suggested that a reiterated statement in the form of an advertisement in the most widely circulated daily paper would bring the facts of the case before a very large number of readers. The idea has been approved, but it is found on inquiry that the cost would be heavy-no deduction being allowed for a series-and would be a greater

charge than the Society can afford to put on its general funds. It has, therefore, been decided to raise a special fund for this purpose, for which contributions will be received by the Secretary.

The advertisement, which is as follows, will be inserted at certain times in the Daily Mail, and will be continued for so long as funds permit.

CENTRAL SOCIETY FOR WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE. OBJECT.—To obtain the Parliamentary Franchise for Women on the same terms as it is, or may be, granted to men; *i.e.*, the removal of the electoral disability which classes women, as such, with criminals, lunatics and idiots, paupers, and minors.

METHODS.—Peaceful persuasion.

Any one desiring to help is requested to communicate with the Secretary,

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