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Dear Sir

May we venture to express a very earnest hope that you will find it possible to be present on Report Stage of the Local Government London Bill in order to support the eligibility of women as Councillors.

You are, no doubt, aware that women have for several years been eligible to sit on Vestries in London, and, in many

instances have done a great deal of quiet useful work to improve the condition of the poorer classes. In connection with questions of Sanitation especially they have done work that could hardly be done at all except by women -

We therefore beg you to do your utmost by your vote & influence to ensure that the present House of Commons with its large Unionist majority should not take a

retrograde step in this important matter -

Yours faithfully
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