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fearless crusader for women's rights. Moving in radical circles, she agitated for social change in the prewar years, and she epitomized the

independent New Woman of the time. Her death at age 30 while stumping for suffrage in California in 1916 made her the sole martyr of the American suffrage movement. Her death helped inspire two years of militant protests by the National Woman's Party, including the picketing of the White House,