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On November 5, 1912, Kansas voters ratified the Woman's Suffrage Amendment to the Kansas Constitution, thanks largely to the efforts, organization, and direction of Johnston. She and her husband, Chief Justice William Agnew Johnston, served as leaders in the Kansas Equal Suffrage Association and the Men's Equal Suffrage League of Kansas respectively. She organized the state into districts through which she distributed literature and encouraged speakers to seek out audiences.