

We Remember...

HAMMERSMITH'S FEMINIST PAST



In May 1906 a demonstration was held at Clare Lodge, the home of suffragette Dora Montefiore (pictured speaking above) which was located near here. She was refusing to pay income tax *'as a protest at the exclusion of women from the parliamentary franchise'*. The following month a further demonstration in her support was attended by 60 working class women who had walked all the way from Canning Town in the East End to lend their support (and walked all the way back).

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