

# S U F F R A G E T T E



## MAUD WATTS

works at the Glass House Laundry in Bethnal Green in London. She has worked there since she was seven years old.

## SONNY WATTS

is Maud's husband. He also works at the laundry. He is a kind man. He and Maud have a young son, George.



## EMILY DAVISON

is a militant suffragette. She has been to prison many times.



## EMMELINE PANKHURST

is the leader of the suffragette movement. She started the Women's Social and Political Union (WSPU) in 1903.

## NORMAN TAYLOR

owns the Glass House Laundry. He is not a nice man.

## DAVID LLOYD GEORGE

is an important Member of Parliament (MP).

## INSPECTOR STEED

is a police officer. His job is to watch the suffragettes. He believes in the law, even when the law is wrong.





### VIOLET MILLER

is another worker at the laundry. She has several children and is a suffragette.



### ALICE HAUGHTON

is married to an MP. She is rich and knows many important people. She is a suffragette.

### EDITH ELLYN

and her husband,

### HUGH,

run a chemist's in Bethnal Green. Edith is middle class, studied at university and is a suffragette.



## PLACES

### BETHNAL GREEN

is in the East End of London. This was a poor part of the city, where working-class people lived and worked.

### THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

is the home of the British Parliament, where MPs make the country's laws.

### HOLLOWAY PRISON

is a women's prison in north London.

