

The Australian Women's Register

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Griffiths, Jennie Scott

(1875 - 1951)

Born	18751030, Woodville Texas United States of America
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Died	19510629, San Francisco California United States of America
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Occupation	Editor, Feminist, Journalist, Pacifist, Poet, Political activist, social activist, Women's rights activist
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Summary

Jennie Scott Griffiths was a champion of women's rights and a campaigner in many labour and socialist groups in Australia, Fiji and the United States. She served with Kate Dwyer on the Women's Anti-Conscription Committee and with Vida Goldstein in the Women's Peace Army, and also belonged to the Social Democratic League and the Feminist Club.

Jennie contributed to and edited a number of papers and magazines in Australia and the Pacific, including the *Australian Woman's Weekly* (editor, 1913-1916), from which she was sacked in 1916 for opposing conscription. Jennie even replaced Dame Mary Gilmore sometimes, as editor of the women's page of the *Australian Worker*.

Published resources

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Archival resources

National Library of Australia, Manuscript Collection

[Papers of Jennie Scott Griffiths, circa 1875-1993 \[manuscript\]](#)

Fryer Library, The University of Queensland

[Jennie Scott Griffiths, 1903-1943](#)

[Autobiography](#)

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