



**Suffrage Wagon Café presents a new video, “America’s Press Women: Nellie Bly.”**

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**We’ll be hearing much more in 2015 about America’s press women, especially early press women such as Nellie Bly who put herself on the line to go undercover in a mental hospital in 1887. “Ten Days in a Madhouse.” When we hear about the early “muckrakers,” Nellie Bly isn’t usually included on the list. But she was responsible for a major clean up of public institutions.**

**Women’s suffrage activists also became reporters and columnists and submitted news content to publications about the suffrage movement. These writers are now just coming to public attention as part of the early waves of press women.**

**The “Spirit of 1776” is a campaign of Suffrage Wagon News Channel and Suffrage Wagon Café to restore the women’s suffrage movement to its rightful place in American history. We’re persistent in inspiring, motivating, educating and entertaining audiences about how we stand on strong shoulders. Marguerite Kearns is host of Suffrage Wagon Café. <http://SuffrageWagon.org> Follow the Suffrage Wagon.**