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Student notes for: After Being Convicted of Voting: A speech by Susan B. Anthony

Day: 3

1. According to Anthony, what is the purpose of the United States Constitution and the formation of the Union?

2. How does Anthony use the phrase, “supreme law of the land”, in making her argument?

3. Anthony disagrees with state laws denying women the right to vote. What reasoning does Anthony provide to support this opinion?

4. How does Anthony support her statement regarding how women view the government as, “...the most hateful aristocracy on the globe”?



5. What role does the rhetorical question, “Are women persons?” play in Anthony’s argument?

6. What parallel does Anthony draw between women and “Negroes” in her conclusion?

