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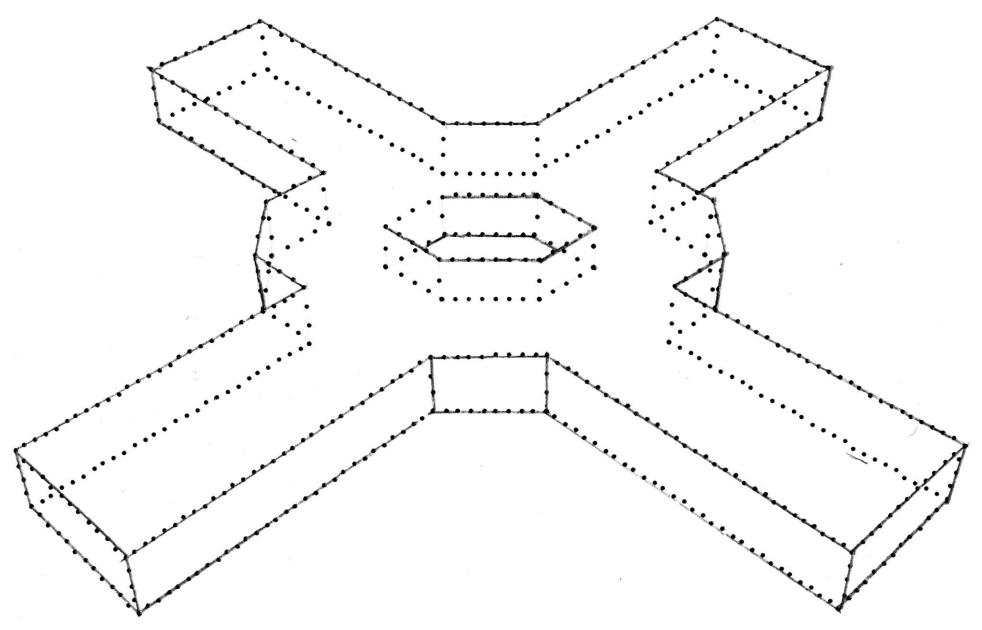


#### **Elizabeth Blackwell**

Born in 1700, Elizabeth Blackwell was a well-educated Scottish woman. Her interest in botany lead her to create the 1739 book, *A Curious Herbal*. She engraved and hand-painted each of the 500 plates in the book herself. *A Curious Herbal* provided physicians and apothecaries with an updated reference of herbals.

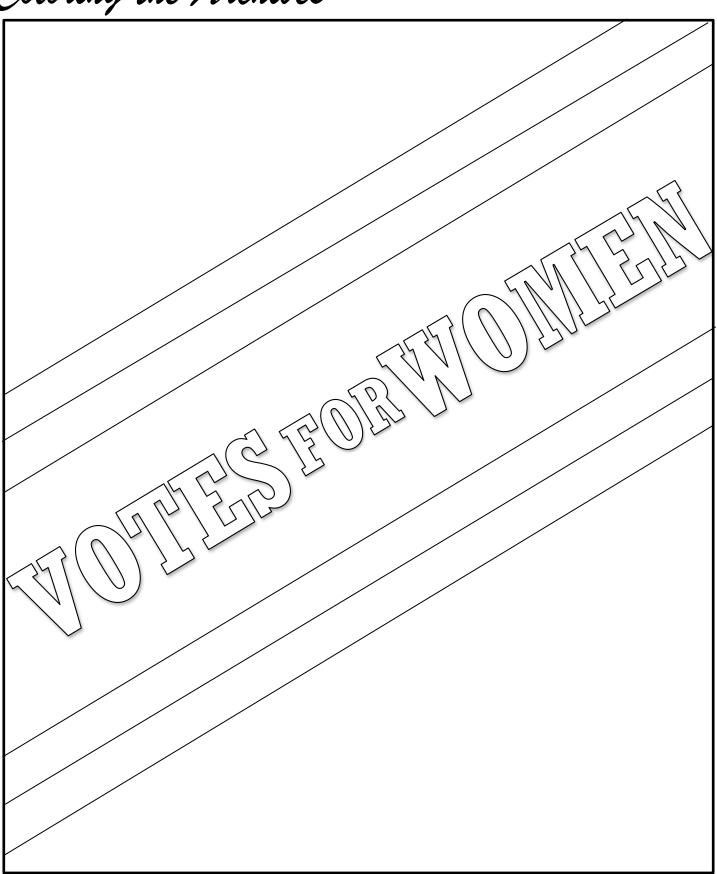
Our coloring page for today is of peas.





Computer Drawing, Miriam Schaprio, undated. Special Collections and University Archives (@Rutgers\_SCUA)

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#### **Suffragette Sash**

As women of the early-twentieth centuries organized for the right to vote, they often wore sashes with the words "Votes for Women" sewn on. Margaret Haines of Newark, NJ wore the sash in the Rutgers Special Collections and University Archives collection.

