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A Fight Ahead For Full Equality.

The suffrage amendment passed the senate by a big margin on a vote taken yesterday, whereas but a short time ago the forces were so evenly balanced that the Susan B. Anthony amendment could not have safely run the gauntlet.

The final step in ratification by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states, and this is promised to be easily obtained.

But women's fight for equality with men has "one more race to cross" and that is equality recognition in the churches.

Heretofore the rule of this church, as in nearly all others, has been right. It was not based merely on the prejudice so long existing in nearly every department of life.

"Let your women keep silence in the churches, for it is not permitted them to speak; but they are commanded to be under obedience, as also saith the law."

"Let the women learn in silence with all submission. But suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in subjection."

They have been admitted to the bar to legislative bodies and to public positions of various kinds in many countries. They will probably be admitted before long to the pulpits of many churches.

The women preachers themselves do not explain the prohibition, but he would make a different rule if he were living in the United States.

Opportunity For the Merchant Marine.

Returned soldiers, who find the life at home a bit monotonous after their war experience, or who see no jobs in sight as good as they think they deserve, might do well to consider the possibilities of the merchant marine.

The United States Shipping Board is making a special effort to call men for this service. New ships are being turned out in large numbers.

The old tradition regarding the hardship of a sailor's life no longer squares with the facts. Under the new American seaman's law and the competitive stages of war conditions the lot of the sailor is immensely improved.

The shipping board offers especially liberal inducements—free uniforms, \$30 a month during four to six months' special training, a working wage of \$75 to \$76 a month—over and above living expenses—and opportunity to travel the world over.

Gauntlet Returned With Knightly Courage.

Just for old sake's sake, it would have been pleasing had the first successful flight from America to Europe terminated in the Spanish part of Paris, since it was from that point that Christopher Columbus set forth upon a voyage having considerable to do with American history.

If that part was impractical, the next best chance was Lisbon, successfully reached by Lieutenant Commander Bond, the American aviator, on May 27. For Columbus lived in Portugal for many years, and it is history to be believed that many a day when he should have been in school, dreaming the time away on the Lisbon docks, watching the ships disappear over the horizon, or listening to the tales of the adventurous Portuguese sailors.

There will mention that the day of Columbus held more than mere promise for our sea and air parts unknown, breaking with every tradition he, and with no tribute of hope to show the way or promise all if needed. Yet every pioneer takes a risk, and Columbus of either by the day of Columbus or any other traveler.

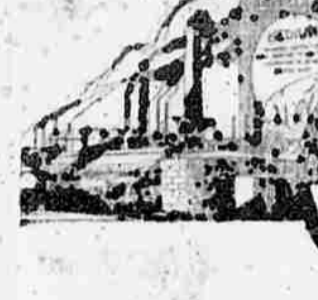
who holds to the known methods of earth and sea. For he lives with all nations of the world. The invisible air is his only support, and his every part is complicated by the danger of falling from that height.

It is enough that the government, America, has picked up and returned the gauntlet thrown down by nature so long ago, and with true knightly courage has done it in the face of peril and disaster.

There will be a new liquor monopoly pretty soon. The Salvation Army is taking options on the saloons.

The Germans moved a printing press to Versailles to print their replies to the peace treaty. And the output is just as reliable as usual.

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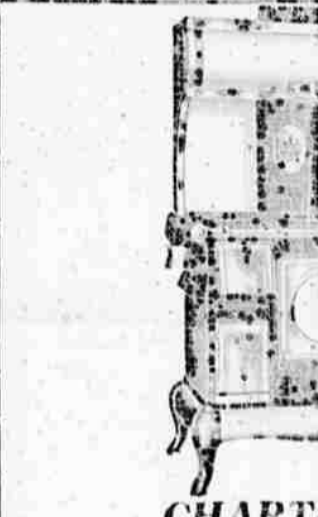
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President's public appeal again commination very dry.

CHAMPION LETTER WRITER LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 5.—The friends of Mrs. Frances Cox, of Eagle Rock, a suburb, claim for her the title of champion letter writer to American soldiers in the European war.

The mother of Elmer M. Cox, young member of the 117th Engineers at first opposed her son's entrance in the American army, but later reversed her mind and became an enthusiast in the war against the Teutons.

Orders for the 1919 apple crop are being received at Hood River in record amounts. The demand for brand fruit indicates one of the most active markets in years.

The P. E. C. C. met at the home of Mrs. Ed Kliddle in Island City Friday afternoon at 2:30. A 100 attendance of the members is desired.

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Unbreakable Art Dolls of all different kinds—lifelike models. The new "LITTLE MARY MIX-UP" is a new feature among them. They are costumed in Pink, Blue and White Lawn Dresses, Khaki Scout Suits, Sailor Suits, Bathing Suits, and many others.

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