


The vote for women



This week sees the anniversary of the birth of Emmeline Pankhurst in 1858. Emmeline and her daughter Christabel founded the Suffragette movement which played its part in winning the vote for British women in 1918 – a full 25 years after New Zealand

The advance of womens suffrage

Country	Year	Country	Year
New Zealand	1893	USA	1920
Australia	1902	Ireland	1922
Finland	1906	Spain	1933
Norway	1913	France	1945
Denmark	1915	Italy	1945
Soviet Union	1917	Japan	1945
UK	1918	China	1949
Germany	1918	India	1949
Sweden	1919	Egypt	1956
Netherlands	1919	Switzerland	1971
Canada	1920	Jordan	1982

