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Turning Points in History

New Jersey History Topics

Why has the Battle of Trenton been called a turning point in the American Revolutionary War?

Was the gradual emancipation act of 1804 a turning point in the history of enslaved people in New Jersey?

How was the advent of the railroad (invented in New Jersey) a turning point in American transportation history?

How was the invention of wire rope by John A. Roebling of Trenton a turning point in American history?

The Battle of Gettysburg has been called the turning point in the Civil War. How did New Jersey soldiers experience the Battle of Gettysburg?

The 1911 Triangle Shirtwaist Factory fire in New York was a turning point in the struggle for the rights of workers. Was there a similar turning point in New Jersey?

What was the turning point in women's crusade for the right to vote in New Jersey?

How did the illness and death of young women factory workers in Orange, New Jersey from radium poisoning in the 1920s create a turning point in workers' safety?

How was the New Jersey Constitution of 1947 a turning point in civil rights history?

What are some turning points in New Jersey's effort to create a "thorough and efficient system of free public schools" in the state?

How was Title IX a turning point in women's struggle for equal rights in education and the workplace?