

Iron Jawed Angels Questions

U.S. History & Government

Directions: Read the article accompanying the movie "Iron Jawed Angels" and answer the questions below.

Document 1

1. How did the crowd react to the Women's Rights parade in Washington, D.C.?

2. Why were suffrage leaders angry at the police after the parade?

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3. Why did women believe they should be given the right to vote?

Documents 4 and 5

4. Why women argue that they were "political prisoners?"

5. How did prison officials end the women's hunger strike?

6. What tactics did Alice Paul support using to gain the right to vote?

7. Why did Alice Paul come into conflict with Carrie Chapman Catt?

8. How did Lucy Burns contribute to the women's rights movement?

9. Describe Carrie Chapman Catt's strategy for gaining suffrage?

10. Why did Ida Wells-Barnett come into conflict with other suffrage leaders?
11. Why was Susan B. Anthony arrested?
12. How did Susan B. Anthony contribute to the women's rights movement?
13. What was so radical about the suffragettes picketing the White House?
14. What was the first country to allow women to vote?
15. In what part of the country were most of the states that allowed full women's suffrage before 1920? Why do you think this was the case?
16. Did New York allow women to vote before the passage of the 19th amendment?
17. What region of the country seemed most resistant to granting women suffrage the most?