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Essential Question: *In what ways did reformers seek to improve women’s rights in American society?*

Main Idea 1:

Influenced by the abolition movement, many women struggled to gain equal rights for themselves.

- Fighting for the _____ of African Americans led many _____ abolitionists to _____ for their own _____.
- They _____ that they had to _____ their _____ to speak in _____.
- _____ did not want _____ to leave traditional _____ roles.

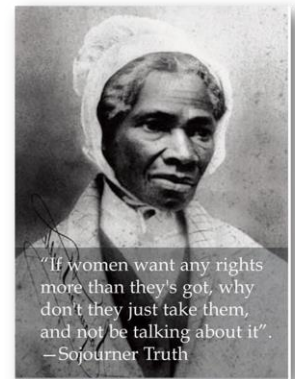
Early Women Reformers

Grimké Sisters

- Sarah Grimké wrote _____ in 1838 _____ for _____ rights for _____
- Angelina Grimké refused to _____ to _____ her _____ during their _____ ceremony.
- Transcendentalist _____ Fuller wrote _____ *in the Nineteenth Century* (1845), _____ importance of _____ to people, especially to _____

Sojourner Truth

- _____ supporter of both _____ and _____ rights
- Born into _____ in 1797
- Took name Sojourner _____ because she felt her _____ was to be a _____, or traveler, and spread the _____
- Never _____ to _____ or _____, but _____ people with her _____
Sojourner _____ gave a _____ at a _____ rights _____ in 1851.
- Stated that _____ should not be _____ of as the _____ gender and they deserve _____.



Main Idea 2:

Calls for women’s rights met opposition from men and women.

The Movement Grows

- Women’s _____ became a _____ issue when _____ took a more _____ and leading role in _____ and _____.
- Some _____ also began to _____ for _____ rights.

Opposition to Women’s Rights

- Some _____ believed they did not _____ new _____.
- Some _____ thought that _____ lacked the _____ or _____ strength to _____ without men’s _____.

Main Idea 3:

The Seneca Falls Convention launched the first organized women's rights movement in the United States.

- _____ Cady Stanton and Lucretia _____ organized the _____ Falls _____.
- The _____ was the _____ public _____ about _____ rights held in the _____.
- The _____ opened on July 19, 1848, in _____ Falls, _____.
- Seneca Falls Convention in _____ was _____.
 - _____ the organized _____ rights _____ in the U.S.
- _____ wrote a _____ of Sentiments.

Declaration of Sentiments

- Document detailed _____ about social _____ toward _____
 - Used _____ as basis for _____
 - Authors included _____ charges _____ men
 - _____ by some _____ people
- About _____ people _____ Seneca Falls Convention
 - Men included such _____ as _____.
 - Many other _____ who worked in the _____ and _____ movements were _____.

Women's Rights Leaders

Lucy Stone

- Well-known _____ for _____
- Was a gifted _____ who _____ the nation on _____ rights

Susan B. Anthony

- Turned _____ for _____ rights into a _____ movement
- Susan B. Anthony fought for _____ rights in _____ in 1860
- She won the _____ for _____ women to _____ their own _____ and _____.
- Argued for _____ pay for equal _____ —no _____ could be free _____ a “_____”

Elizabeth Cady Stanton

- Wrote many _____ and _____ of the movement
- Founder and _____ of _____

