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• <u>Do Now</u>: Do you think that Colin Kaepernick has helped or hurt his cause? Explain

• <u>Homework</u>: Essay tomorrow



Thesis:

- During the late 19th and early 20th centuries, reformers used different methods in their efforts to improve society. Samuel Gompers organized unions to improve the conditions of workers while Upton Sinclair and John Spargo wrote books to draw attention to social problems.
- <u>Topic sentence 1 </u>Samuel Gompers, the founder of the American Federation of Labor, believed that the best way for workers to improve their lives was to form labor unions.
- <u>Topic sentence 2 Upton Sinclair's book *The Jungle* helped to bring about the first consumer protection laws that sought to make food safer</u>
- Topic sentence 3 Seeking to expose the problem of Child Labor, John Spargo wrote the book *The Bitter Cry of Children*.

Thesis:

Sometimes reform comes about through the efforts of individuals and at other times it
is a reaction to tragedy. The Triangle shirtwaist factory fire of 1911 led to improvements
in factory safety, while the efforts of Theodore Roosevelt as President limited the power
of monopolies and the writings of John Spargo exposed the problems faced by child
workers.

TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT

- Crusade against alcohol
- Woman's Christian Temperance
 Union

• 18th Amendment (1919) – prohibition of alcohol.

WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT

- Right to vote for women
- National American Woman's Suffrage Association

• 19th Amendment (1920) – Women's Suffrage



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FROM THE FIRST GLASS TO THE CRAVE.

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