

Triangle Shirtwaist Demonstration Research Sheet



Date	Location	What problems did the workers have?

Shirtwaist	Sweatshop	Union
Definition:	Definition:	Definition:
Role in this event:	Role in this event"	Role in this event:

Describe the events of May 25, 1911 (summarize what happened)

What company policies endangered women's lives? What problems did the owners have with workers that made them put these policies in place?

What charges were brought against the owners? Why were they found innocent?

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What are some ways since the fire that the event has been memorialized?

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Long Term Effects

How did this event change the working conditions in sweatshops?

How did the event help the Ladies' Garment Workers Union?

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What is the American Society of Safety Engineers? How is it related to the fire?

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