Close-Reading Questions

Refer to this week’s cover story, “We’ve Come a Long Way,” to respond to the questions below. Reread the article to find details that support your answers. Remember to write in complete sentences.

1. What is the purpose of the first paragraph?

2. What is a petition? How were they used during the women’s suffrage movement?

3. What statistics in the article and the sidebar show that women still aren’t well-represented in government?

4. What does Rashida Tlaib think about women in government?