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HELLFIRE PASS

HELLFIRE PASS STUDENT INQUIRY

Instructions:

Before you begin, please watch the Timeline Video on the official Hellfire Pass website to learn more about its history.



Questions

What factors led the British colonial authorities to dismiss the idea of constructing a railway through the Tenasserim Hills before the Second World War?

Questions

How did conditions at Hellfire Pass reflect the broader experiences of forced labourers and prisoners of war during the construction of the railway?

Questions

What strategic purpose did the railway serve for the Japanese, and how did the Allies seek to disrupt its use?

Questions

How has the Thai-Burma Railway influenced modern relations between Thailand, Myanmar, and Japan?

