



*near Trenton, New Jersey*

*Christmas week, 1776*

## DARK HOUR FOR THE REBELS

1. In December of 1776, when all seemed hopeless, George Washington decided on a bold move-a \_\_\_\_\_ on Trenton.
2. On \_\_\_\_\_ night, Washington secretly led his troops across the icy \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Early on December 26, the Americans surprised the \_\_\_\_\_ troops guarding \_\_\_\_\_ and took most of them \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Then on January 2, 1777, Washington fooled General \_\_\_\_\_. He left the \_\_\_\_\_ and slipped behind the British to win another victory at \_\_\_\_\_.



*Washington Crossing the Delaware*



*Surrender of the Hessians at Trenton*