

# Social Studies

## Chapter 5: Background to the Conflict

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### I. Differences Divide North and South

#### A. Regional Differences

##### 1. North

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. towns and \_\_\_\_\_
- c. more people - \_\_\_\_\_ million

##### 2. South

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_ on the coast and along Mississippi River
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ million (4 million were \_\_\_\_\_)

#### B. The Slave Economy

1. slaves were \_\_\_\_\_
2. miners, carpenters, factory workers, house servants, \_\_\_\_\_
3. 1/\_\_\_\_ families in the south owned them
4. plantations owned over \_\_\_\_\_

#### C. "King Cotton"

1. Eli \_\_\_\_\_'s cotton gin
  - a. **cotton gin** - removed the \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ fibers much faster than \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. cleaned and prepared for \_\_\_\_\_ faster
  - c. sold more (to \_\_\_\_\_ textile mills) and made more money
2. required more \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. to plant, seed, \_\_\_\_\_, pick, and run the \_\_\_\_\_

#### D. North and South Disagree

1. over states' \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ still made South rely on the \_\_\_\_\_ for goods
3. big question - Should slavery be allowed in the \_\_\_\_\_?

## II. Africans in Slavery and Freedom

- \_\_\_\_\_,000 slaves in U.S. in 1800 and 4,000,000 by 18\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_,000 more were free without \_\_\_\_\_ of other citizens

### A. Life Under Slavery

1. **slave codes** - \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. couldn't leave owners' \_\_\_\_\_ or meet in \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ or sell goods or learn to \_\_\_\_\_ and write
2. **overseers** - \_\_\_\_\_
3. owners broke up families
4. formed \_\_\_\_\_ for support and traditions
5. **spirituals** - religious \_\_\_\_\_ based on \_\_\_\_\_ stories

### B. Fighting Back

1. **resist** - \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. quietly - broke \_\_\_\_\_, left \_\_\_\_\_ open, \_\_\_\_\_ things, etc.
  - b. rebels - attacks
2. Nat \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. led an attack, killing \_\_\_\_\_ including \_\_\_\_\_ and family
  - b. other slave owners killed \_\_\_\_\_ slaves trying to stop them
  - c. Turner and others were caught and \_\_\_\_\_
3. John \_\_\_\_\_ - abolitionist
  - a. took guns from \_\_\_\_\_ Ferry to give to slaves
  - b. caught and \_\_\_\_\_

### C. Running Away

1. alone or with others, planned or \_\_\_\_\_
2. other slaves and \_\_\_\_\_ helped or they just hid for years
3. some went to free land - \_\_\_\_\_, Canada, and \_\_\_\_\_
4. **Underground Railroad**
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ of escape \_\_\_\_\_ leading to \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_ - helping members (free Africans & northerners)
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_ - hiding places to rest and eat
5. Harriet \_\_\_\_\_ - returned to South \_\_\_\_\_ times and guided \_\_\_\_\_ people to freedom

### D. Free Africans

1. freed by \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ freedom, or ran away
2. had many different jobs in cities and some became very \_\_\_\_\_
3. many struggled
  - a. not allowed to \_\_\_\_\_ or meet in groups
  - b. couldn't attend certain \_\_\_\_\_ or have certain jobs
  - c. some wrongly accused of running away and taken back

### III. Facing a National Problem

#### A. New Compromises

1. Henry \_\_\_\_\_ (Kentucky) - settled differences
2. **free state** - didn't allow \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ **state** - did allow it
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Compromise (1820)
  - a. had been the same number of free and slave states
  - b. Missouri wanted to be added as a \_\_\_\_\_ state
  - c. compromise said Missouri could be a slave state if \_\_\_\_\_ was added as a free state
  - d. imaginary line would be drawn \_\_\_\_\_ and anything North would be free and South would be slave
  - e. worked for 30 years until \_\_\_\_\_ wanted to be free
4. Compromise of 18\_\_\_\_
  - a. California would be free and \_\_\_\_\_ and New Mexico would decide for themselves
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_ Slave Law - anyone helping slaves \_\_\_\_\_ would be punished and escaped slaves had to be \_\_\_\_\_

#### B. Hopes for Peace Fade

1. The Kansas-\_\_\_\_\_ Act
  - a. would decide by \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. people rushed to Kansas to vote
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_ Kansas - fighting broke out and \_\_\_\_\_ died
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Scott
  - a. wanted freedom because he once lived on \_\_\_\_\_ land
  - b. Supreme Court justice \_\_\_\_\_ denied his request for freedom
  - c. Taney also said slavery was okay because people had the right to own \_\_\_\_\_!

#### C. Abraham Lincoln

1. \_\_\_\_\_ that worked the farm and taught himself
2. moved to \_\_\_\_\_ and became a \_\_\_\_\_ and Congressman
3. didn't believe in ending slavery but stopping its \_\_\_\_\_
4. became a Republican and ran for Congress against \_\_\_\_\_

#### D. The Lincoln-Douglas Debate

1. Lincoln - tall, \_\_\_\_\_, plain, and not well-known
2. Douglas - short, heavy, well-\_\_\_\_\_, -dressed and -\_\_\_\_\_
3. both spoke well
  - a. Douglas thought \_\_\_\_\_ should decide for themselves
  - b. Lincoln said it was expected to end and is \_\_\_\_\_!
4. \_\_\_\_\_ won, but Lincoln was now well-known!

#### IV. A Time for Hard Decisions

##### A. The Election of 1860

1. Democratic - \_\_\_\_\_ and Breckinridge
2. Republican - \_\_\_\_\_ - WON
3. he promised not to stop it in the south but prevent it in the \_\_\_\_\_
4. South felt attacked and states began to \_\_\_\_\_ (leave Union)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ States of America - the **Confederacy**
  - a. South Carolina, \_\_\_\_\_, Florida, Alabama, \_\_\_\_\_, Louisiana, and Texas
  - b. President - Jefferson \_\_\_\_\_

##### B. Fort Sumter

1. Lincoln's choices when south seceded:
  - a. let them go
  - b. allow \_\_\_\_\_ to bring them back
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_ to make them come back
2. they had taken \_\_\_\_\_ property when they seceded
  - a. Fort \_\_\_\_\_ in the South was still held by the Union but was running out of \_\_\_\_\_ fast
3. Lincoln's choices concerning Fort Sumter:
  - a. could send supplies or \_\_\_\_\_ which would lead to the South attacking
  - b. could do nothing and hand it over to the \_\_\_\_\_
4. decided to send \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_ ordered a surrender and then \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_ had to surrender when they ran out of supplies
7. Lincoln called an \_\_\_\_\_ together to stop the \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_, Arkansas, \_\_\_\_\_, and North Carolina joined the Confederacy
9. The Civil War had begun!