

Speaker A: The political union created by the Constitution of the United States is not a temporary compact of the states but rather an unbreakable bond created by the people of the nation.

Speaker B: The reserved powers are clearly indicated and protected in both the original Constitution and in the 10th amendment of the Bill of Rights.

Speaker C: Liberty is best preserved in the hands of the government closest to the people. Union is desirable only if it preserves our liberty.

Speaker D: Nullification! Secession! What miserable words—words that threaten the continuance of both our liberty and our Union.

- 11 Which two speakers express the greatest support for the concept of States rights?
(1) A and B (3) B and C
(2) A and D (4) C and D

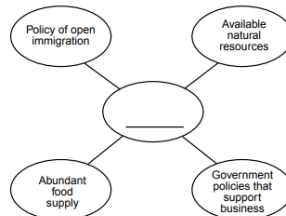
- 12 The political opinions expressed in these statements relate most directly to the start of which war?
(1) Revolutionary War
(2) War of 1812
(3) Mexican-American War
(4) Civil War

- 13 Passage of the Kansas-Nebraska Act (1854) was criticized by Northern newspapers because it
(1) limited settlement in those territories
(2) repealed the 36°30' line of the Missouri Compromise
(3) upheld the Supreme Court decision in *Gibbons v. Ogden*
(4) admitted Maine to the Union as a free state

- (2) factory owners and teachers
(3) skilled artisans and mechanics
(4) miners and soldiers

- 15 Which geographic factor presented a major problem for settlers on the Great Plains?
(1) limited rainfall
(2) dense forests
(3) mountainous terrain
(4) frequent flooding

Base your answer to question 16 on the graphic organizer below and on your knowledge of social studies.



- 16 Which title is most appropriate for this graphic organizer?
(1) Rise of Labor Unions
(2) Innovations and Technology
(3) Vertical Integration of Business
(4) Factors Contributing to Industrialization





8 Which two areas of the map made up the United States in 1803 as a result of the Louisiana Purchase?

- (1) A and B
- (2) A and D
- (3) B and D
- (4) E and G

9 Which of these areas was acquired as a result of the Mexican-American War?

- (1) A
- (2) B
- (3) F
- (4) G

Base your answer to question 10 on the quotation below and on your knowledge of social studies.

"... As a bond of union between the Atlantic and the western states, it may prevent the dismemberment of the American empire. As an organ of communication between the Hudson, the Mississippi, the St. Lawrence, the great lakes of the north and west, and their tributary rivers, it will create the greatest inland trade ever witnessed..."

— New York Governor DeWitt Clinton, April 26, 1824

10 Which development in transportation is Governor Clinton describing?

- (1) National Road
- (2) Erie Canal
- (3) steamboats
- (4) railroads

11 An example of the use of the unwritten constitution is the

- (1) president's cabinet
- (2) amendment process
- (3) bicameral legislature
- (4) electoral college



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Resources of the North and South, 1861

Resources	North		South	
	Number (approximate)	Percent of National Total	Number (approximate)	Percent of National Total
Farmland	105,817,694 acres	65%	56,832,154 acres	35%
Railroad Track	21,847 miles	71%	8,947 miles	29%
Value of Manufactured Goods	\$1,794,417,000	92%	\$155,531,281	8%
Factories	119,500	85%	20,631	15%
Workers in Industry	1,198,000	92%	110,721	8%
Population	22,340,000 (includes 432,720 enslaved persons)	63%	9,103,332 (includes 3,521,043 enslaved persons)	37%

Source: James West Davidson et al., *The American Nation*, Prentice Hall, 2000; 1860 Census, U.S. Census Bureau (adapted)

12 Which generalization is supported by the information in the chart?

- (1) The South exported more manufactured goods than the North.
- (2) The North would have more difficulty supplying an army than the South.
- (3) The North had greater economic strength than the South.
- (4) The South would be better able to transport an army than the North.

Base your answer to question 13 on the poster below and on your knowledge of social studies.

TO COLORED MEN!

FREEDOM,

Protection, Pay, and a Call to Military Duty!

Source: National Archives

13 Which government action most directly prompted the publication of this poster?

- (1) issuance of the Emancipation Proclamation
- (2) passage of the Kansas-Nebraska Act
- (3) rejection of the Wilmot Proviso
- (4) adoption of the Missouri Compromise

14 At the start of the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln stated that the major reason for fighting the war was to

- (1) break the South's economic ties to Great Britain
- (2) uphold the Constitution by preserving the Union
- (3) enforce the terms of the Compromise of 1850
- (4) punish the Confederate states for leaving the Union

15 Passage of the Homestead Act in 1862 encouraged settlement of the Great Plains by

- (1) providing free land to farmers
- (2) removing barriers to Asian immigration
- (3) supplying land to build transcontinental railroads
- (4) placing Native American Indians on reservations

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