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## The American Civil War.



1. How were slaves in the Southern states of America treated?

→ They were treated very harshly in America -

i) They could not own a property and were treated as personal belongings of their owners.

ii) They had no right to family life and could not leave their owners without permission.

iii) They did not dare to run away for fear of harsh punishment, if caught.

2. Why were the Southern states opposed to banning slavery?

→ The Southern states opposed banning slavery because -

i) They need large amount of labour force which slaves were used.

ii) They are dependent on the slaves for growth of plantation crops.

3. What is tariff? Why did the northern

states want tariffs?

→ A tax imposed on imports and exports is called a tariff.

— The Southern states opposed tariff because it increased the price of things imported from the northern states.

↳ It led to clashes between the northern and Southern states.

4. What were Lincoln's views about secession?

→ Lincoln believed that the union of the states of USA was permanent, and that no state had the right to secede from the Union.

F. 1. Discuss the causes that led to the American Civil War.

→ The causes of the American Civil War are:

i) The dispute between the northern and Southern states regarding the slavery created the difference between two.

ii) Both of states also fought over the tariff.

iii) The controversy over free states and slave owning states led the further bitterness between the North and the South.

2. Describe the course of the Civil War after the appointment of Lincoln as president.

→ The course of the the Civil war is as follows -

i) Abraham Lincoln was forced to declare war on the Southern states due to the attack on the Fort Sumter.

ii) He then ordered the blockade on the ~~union~~ ports and issued the Emancipation Proclamation.

iii) He then delivered a famous speech at the Gettysburg on the battle of

## American civil war.

3. What were the effects of the Civil War?

→ The effects of the Civil War are as follows -

i) Slavery was formally abolished in USA.

ii) The unity of USA was preserved.

iii) The civil war left the Southern states greatly damaged.

## picture study

What is happening in this meeting?

→ Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation in this meeting.

What was its significance?

- The Emancipation Proclamation freed the slaves from the Southern states and Lincoln won their support.

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