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Girding for War: The
North and the South,
1861-1865

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1. to order the soldiers there to attack the surrounding Confederate army.
2. to send about 3,000 soldiers and marines to reinforce the fort.
3. to make a symbolic show of support and then withdraw the forces.
4. to provision the garrison but not to reinforce it.

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Prior to the firing on Fort Sumter, a common northern attitude toward southern secession had been

1. that it was not really serious and the seceded states would soon return.
2. that the U.S. army should immediately invade the South and crush the rebellion.
3. that further concessions should be made to reassure the South that slavery would not be interfered with.
4. that the southern states who wanted to leave should be able to secede in peace.

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Among the states that joined the Confederacy only after Lincoln's call for troops were

1. Florida, Louisiana, and Texas.
2. Virginia, Arkansas, and Tennessee.
3. Missouri, Maryland, and Delaware.
4. South Carolina, North Carolina, and Mississippi.

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2. Virginia, Arkansas, and Tennessee.

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1. the “Butternut” region of southern Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois.
2. the Far Western states of Oregon, California, and Nevada.
3. the Midwestern agricultural states of Wisconsin, Iowa, and Minnesota.
4. the New England states.

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Which of the following was not among the border states?

1. Missouri
2. Kentucky
3. Oklahoma
4. Maryland

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3. Oklahoma

Hint: See page 436.

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The term “Butternut region” refers to

1. the mountain areas of the South that remained loyal to the Union.
2. the areas of southern Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois that opposed an anti-slavery war.
3. the areas of the upper Midwest that supplied a large portion of the committed Union volunteers.
4. the areas of southern Pennsylvania and New York that supported the war but hated the draft.

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1. West Virginia.
2. Tennessee.
3. Missouri.
4. Nevada.

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1. General P. G. T. Beauregard.
2. Colonel Robert Mosby.
3. General Thomas Jackson.
4. General George Pickett.

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1. better preparation of its ordinary soldiers for military life.
2. a continuing influx of immigrant manpower from Europe.
3. more highly educated and experienced generals.
4. the ability to fight a primarily defensive war.

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2. a continuing influx of immigrant manpower from Europe.

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European support for the Union during the Civil War was strongest among

1. the Scandinavian countries of Denmark, Norway, and Sweden.
2. the British and French working classes.
3. business people and the middle class generally.
4. the British and French aristocracy.

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