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Instructions: Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. What effect did Lincoln's 1860 election have on the country?
 - Ⓐ Seven Southern states succeeded from the Union.
 - Ⓑ Northern states outlawed slavery.
 - Ⓒ Republicans and Democrats worked together to end slavery.
 - Ⓓ Seven Northern states succeeded from the Union.
2. How does the map on page 3 help the reader better understand the Civil War?
 - Ⓐ It shows each state's resource.
 - Ⓑ It shows countries that helped the Union.
 - Ⓒ It shows the original states in the country.
 - Ⓓ It shows the division between states in the country.
3. On what date did Confederate troops first open fire?
 - Ⓐ April 9, 1864
 - Ⓑ April 9, 1861
 - Ⓒ April 12, 1861
 - Ⓓ April 12, 1865
4. Which of the following words means *disturbed, agitated, or angered*?
 - Ⓐ relentless
 - Ⓑ roiled
 - Ⓒ fugitive
 - Ⓓ campaign
5. Why did Democrats call for an end to battle?
 - Ⓐ Northern feeling against the fighting grew.
 - Ⓑ Southern representatives made negotiations.
 - Ⓒ Other countries were going to declare war.
 - Ⓓ Northern representatives made negotiations.

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| <p>6. What happened before Sherman became a Union commander?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ The Confederate States of America were formed. Ⓑ Lincoln was assassinated. Ⓒ The Thirteenth Amendment became law. Ⓓ Andrew Johnson was stabbed. <p>7. What conclusion could you draw from the section titled "Slavery and the Union"?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ All states accepted slavery. Ⓑ Slavery was spreading to Northern states. Ⓒ Slavery created a division between states in the country. Ⓓ Nobody helped end slavery in the 1800s. | <p>8. What did the word casualties mean in the book?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ killed in a planned attack, often for political purposes Ⓑ people injured, killed, or missing during a war, accident, or disaster Ⓒ unable to be separated or divided Ⓓ a change or addition to a document or law <p>9. Which detail supports the main idea that the Civil War changed the United States?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ Grant offered generous terms for the South's surrender. Ⓑ Union troops tracked Booth and another man to a farm in Virginia. Ⓒ The Civil War was over. Ⓓ The Civil War established the principle that the United States is one nation. |
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10. What was the author's purpose for writing this book?

- Ⓐ to explain to readers how soldiers trained for the Civil War
- Ⓑ to persuade readers that the Union is better than the Confederacy
- Ⓒ to inform readers about the end of the Civil War
- Ⓓ to explain to readers how Lincoln won two elections

11. **Extended Response:** Why does the author think it's important to study the Civil War?

12. **Extended Response:** How was the North different from the South leading up to the Civil War?

Quick Check Answer Sheet

1865: The End of the Civil War

Main Comprehension Skill: Cause and Effect

1. Ⓐ Cause and Effect
2. Ⓓ Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions
3. Ⓒ Sequence Events
4. Ⓑ Vocabulary
5. Ⓐ Cause and Effect
6. Ⓐ Sequence Events
7. Ⓒ Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions
8. Ⓑ Vocabulary
9. Ⓓ Main Idea and Details
10. Ⓒ Author's Purpose
11. Answers will vary but should express that the author thinks the Civil War is important to study because it solidified the United States as an indivisible nation solidified the US as a nation that can't be divided. Students should also describe that the author thinks the Civil War is an important part of U.S. history that still affects our civil rights today.
12. Answers will vary but should describe acceptance of slavery as the main difference between the North and South. For example, *Northern states relied on expanding industry and small farms economically while the South relied heavily on large plantations and crops. This division made slavery widely accepted in the South whereas the North outlawed slavery by 1804.*