

The Problems of Peace

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Presidential Reconstruction

- \_\_\_\_\_ in the U.S.
- \_\_\_\_\_ : Ten percent of \_\_\_\_\_
- Goal: Bring the South back into the Union \_\_\_\_\_

Congressional Reconstruction

- " \_\_\_\_\_ "
  - Wanted to \_\_\_\_\_
  - Felt the Southern states had voluntarily seceded; therefore, Congress could set the rules of re-admittance.
- \_\_\_\_\_ of white males take an \_\_\_\_\_ before the state could call a constitutional convention. The \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Lincoln \_\_\_\_\_ the bill and \_\_\_\_\_ it.

The Martyrdom of Lincoln

- On \_\_\_\_\_, President Lincoln was shot and killed at Ford's Theater by John Wilkes Booth. Andrew Johnson took over as President.

Johnson's Reconstruction Plan

- Johnson's Plan = Lincoln's \_\_\_\_\_
  - + \_\_\_\_\_ were to be disenfranchised- \_\_\_\_\_
  - + The \_\_\_\_\_ of freedmen

Johnson Clashes with Congress

- \_\_\_\_\_ ; distrusted for being a Southern Democrat
  - Civil Rights Bill of 1866: \_\_\_\_\_, passed by \_\_\_\_\_ anyway
- Midterm Election of 1866: Johnson faced off against \_\_\_\_\_
  - Radical Republicans led by \_\_\_\_\_ ; wanted Reconstruction to bring about \_\_\_\_\_
  - Johnson irate and heckled by crowds during campaign
  - Republicans gained a " \_\_\_\_\_," which made their causes \_\_\_\_\_

Rights for Freedmen

- The \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ definition of citizenship
  - \_\_\_\_\_
  - All \_\_\_\_\_
  - Cut state Congressional representation if blacks were denied voting
  - Disqualified Confederate leaders from federal offices

Military Reconstruction

- The Reconstruction Act of \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_, U.S. soldiers would be stationed in each to make sure things stayed \_\_\_\_\_
- To be \_\_\_\_\_
  - Pass the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Amendments \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
  - Guarantee black suffrage- \_\_\_\_\_ **but**
- Radical Republicans still worried that even if black suffrage was granted, it could later be *removed*.
  - 15th Amendment (1870): \_\_\_\_\_

Freedmen Define Freedom

- Freed blacks, or "freedmen" were in a confusing situation \_\_\_\_\_
- With the blacks' social structure torn down, \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- Union League: A web of clubs that informed blacks of their civic duties, built churches, pushed for Republican candidates in elections, sought to solve problems, and even recruited a black militia for defense
- \_\_\_\_\_

The Freedmen's \_\_\_\_\_

- Freed slaves were largely \_\_\_\_\_
- Freedman's Bureau: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Gen. O. O. Howard headed the bureau (and later founded Howard University in D.C.)
  - Minimal success
  - Disliked by Southerners

Congressional Reconstruction

- Southern Congressmen return (1865)
  - \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Similar to: \_\_\_\_\_

- With many white Southerners \_\_\_\_\_ (until taking the \_\_\_\_\_ to the U.S.) \_\_\_\_\_

Maintaining Southern Tradition

Methods used to keep Southern blacks "in their place"

Carpetbaggers and Scalawags

Scalawag

Carpetbagger

Two views on Southern Reconstruction

- The "New South": The \_\_\_\_\_, as well as the introduction of \_\_\_\_\_
- "\_\_\_\_\_": \_\_\_\_\_ who sought to oust the Republican governments in the South that were run by freedmen, "carpetbaggers," and "scalawags"

Economic Subservience

- \_\_\_\_\_: Landowners allow \_\_\_\_\_ on the land (e.g., 50% of the crop). \_\_\_\_\_.

Political Subservience

- \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ from juries, holding local office, \_\_\_\_\_ them for "idleness"
- \_\_\_\_\_ Laws that \_\_\_\_\_ of the races in \_\_\_\_\_ (schools, RR, restaurants, doctors offices, etc.).
- \_\_\_\_\_: \_\_\_\_\_
  - "\_\_\_\_\_ but \_\_\_\_\_."

The Ku Klux Klan

**Social Subservience -**

- Ku Klux Klan (AKA: "\_\_\_\_\_"): Created by former Confederate soldiers to keep the social status quo in the South
  - Thrived on fear: Masked men and horses, burned crosses, threatened blacks who didn't "know their place", and lynched blacks.

Disenfranchisement-

Southern whites used a variety of methods to disenfranchise blacks:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- Literacy Tests: \_\_\_\_\_ Purposefully made \_\_\_\_\_ voters.
- \*\*\*"\_\_\_\_\_": Anyone whose grandfather had been able to vote could also vote. This meant \_\_\_\_\_ (regardless of their ability to read), blacks not.

Escaping the South

- Homestead Act of 1862: \_\_\_\_\_ land virtually for free
- Exodusters: A \_\_\_\_\_ post-Civil War (\_\_\_\_\_).

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The Heritage of Reconstruction

- To many in the South, the \_\_\_\_\_ than the war.
- The war and Reconstruction also \_\_\_\_\_ (hatred)
- The lot of \_\_\_\_\_, despite good intentions, was likely as bad, or \_\_\_\_\_.

When Mama Aint Happy

- Pre-CW: \_\_\_\_\_ (disenfranchised; slaves to their homes, children, and husbands)
- \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_
- Angry they were \_\_\_\_\_
  - 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment made reference to "males" as citizens—a step back in many women's rights' eyes
  - 15<sup>th</sup> Amendment read that voting shouldn't be denied based on "race, color, or previous condition of servitude." Women were not included

Seward's Folly

- SoS- \_\_\_\_\_ William H. \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_)
- \_\_\_\_\_
- Called "Seward's Folly," "Seward's Icebox," "Frigidia," and "Walrussia."
- Seward would later be \_\_\_\_\_ were discovered in Alaska.

Johnson Walks the Impeachment Plank

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_: Said the president needed the Senate's okay to fire anyone who'd been previously appointed by him and approved by the Senate.
  - Johnson looking to fire RR - Edward M. Stanton \_\_\_\_\_ (Cabinet position)
  - Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ the new law

Putting the President on Trial

- Johnson's lawyers argued that he was operating under the Constitution, not the Tenure of Office Act
- Needed \_\_\_\_\_
- The \_\_\_\_\_

Andrew Johnson

Dates in Office: 1865-1868

Nickname: The Tennessee Tailor

Political Party: Democrat

Major Events:

- Reconstruction Act of 1867
- Freedmen's Bureau
- 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> Amendments
- Seward's Folly
- Impeachment

Election of 1868

- Ulysses S. Grant (R) vs. Horatio Seymour (D)
- "waving the bloody shirt": Grant \_\_\_\_\_
- Had \_\_\_\_\_

"Era \_\_\_\_\_"

- \_\_\_\_\_ – A sham corporation set up by Union Pacific RR shareholders to secure government grants at an enormous profit; shares given to Congressmen to keep them quiet.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ – A network of liquor distillers and treasury agents who \_\_\_\_\_ of dollars of \_\_\_\_\_
- Panic of 1873: Triggered by the \_\_\_\_\_ financier
  - Problems increased due to a \_\_\_\_\_
  - Severely \_\_\_\_\_ (Wizard of Oz?)

Reconstruction is Rolled Back in the year (\_\_\_\_\_) ELECTION OF 1876. AKA The \_\_\_\_\_ Election

<p>Rutherford B. Hayes (r)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Untainted by corruption (unlike Grant)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Came from Ohio (swing state)</li> </ul>	<p>Samuel J. Tilden (D)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Wall Street lawyer</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Reputation for reform and home rule for the South</li> </ul>
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- Two sets of electoral votes gave no clear winner
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- \_\_\_\_\_ (1877): \_\_\_\_\_
  - " \_\_\_\_\_ " B. Hayes