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This Civil War Quiz consists of:

- 10 stimulus based multiple-choice questions

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Warmest wishes, Joan

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Speech on the Dred Scott Decision Frederick Douglass | May 1857

This infamous decision of the Slaveholding wing of the Supreme Court maintains that slaves are within the contemplation of the Constitution of the United States, property; that slaves are property in the same sense that horses, sheep, and swine are property; that the old doctrine that slavery is a creature of local law is false; that the right of the slaveholder to his slave does not depend upon the local law, but is secured wherever the Constitution of the United States extends; that Congress has no right to prohibit slavery anywhere; that slavery may go in safety anywhere under the star-spangled banner; that colored persons of African descent have no rights that white men are bound to respect; that colored men of African descent are not and cannot be citizens of the United States.

You will readily ask me how I am affected by this devilish decision — this judicial incarnation of wolfishness? My answer is, and no thanks to the slaveholding wing of the Supreme Court, my hopes were never brighter than now. I have no fear that the National Conscience will be put to sleep by such an open, glaring, and scandalous tissue of lies as that decision is, and has been, over and over, shown to be. The Supreme Court of the United States is not the only power in this world. It is very great, but the Supreme Court of the Almighty is greater. Judge Taney can do many things, but he cannot perform impossibilities. He cannot bale out the ocean, annihilate the firm old earth, or pluck the silvery star of liberty from our Northern sky.

1. The effect of the Dred Scott Supreme Court decision was
 1. There were no longer any free states
 2. Slaveholders must document when they travel to a free state
 3. Congress must make the final decision as the slavery
 4. The United States is the only country to allow slavery

2. Frederick Douglass' reaction to the Dred Scott decision was
 1. To encourage outrage and protests
 2. To petition Congress to overturn the decision
 3. Optimistic, he felt in the end it would be overturned
 4. To agree that the Supreme Court had made a proper decision given the facts

3. The Supreme Court's decision in this case was that
 1. Slaves could be emancipated 60 days after residing in a free state
 2. That colored person of African descent have to apply for their freedom
 3. Slaves were considered property and not citizens
 4. Judge Taney had the power to overrule the other justices

Missouri Compromise (1820) (excerpt)

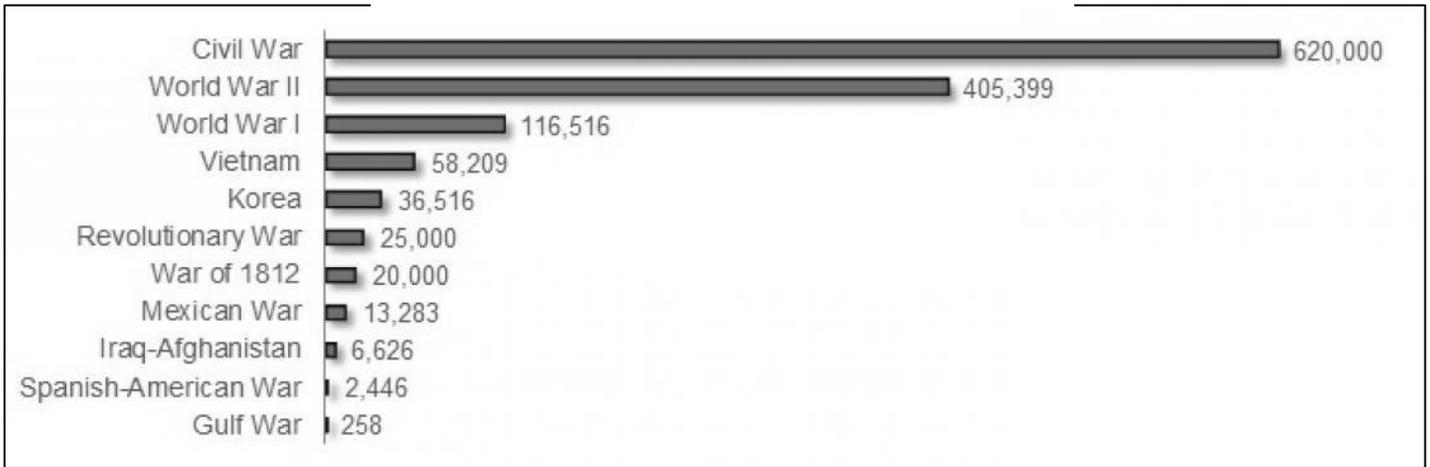
SEC. 8. And be it further enacted. That in all that territory ceded by France to the United States, under the name of Louisiana, which lies north of thirty-six degrees and thirty minutes north latitude, not included within the limits of the state, contemplated by this act, slavery and involuntary servitude, otherwise than in the punishment of crimes, whereof the parties shall have been duly convicted, shall be, and is hereby, forever prohibited: Provided always, That any person escaping into the same, from whom labour or service is lawfully claimed, in any state or territory of the United States, such fugitive may be lawfully reclaimed and conveyed to the person claiming his or her labour or service as aforesaid.

4. According to the Missouri Compromise Slavery was illegal
 1. Throughout the United States
 2. French territory in America
 3. North of the line of latitude of 36 degrees
 4. Not within the states

5. The portion of the Missouri Compromise written to **appease** (*make happy*) the south was
 1. Fugitive slave must be sent back to their owner
 2. Involuntary servitude for crimes was still permitted
 3. Any person lawfully claimed could vote
 4. Service lawfully claimed must be compensated

6. In writing the Missouri Compromise Congress was trying to
 1. Help new states to enter the union
 2. Expand the United States
 3. Keep a balance of power between northern and southern states
 4. Fulfill the requirements of the 14th Amendment

Civil War Casualties

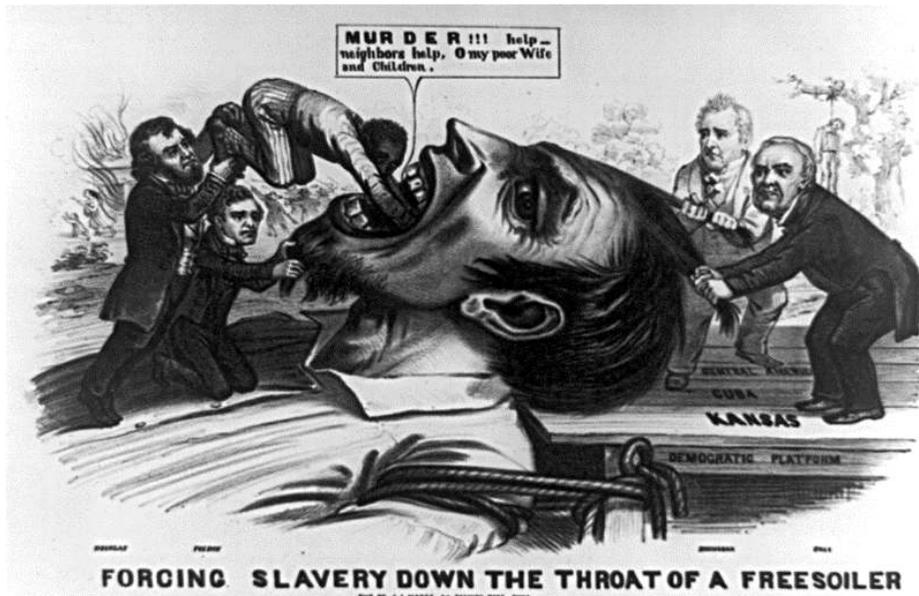


7. The casualty toll for the Civil War is so much higher than all other wars because

1. The new technology caused many more deaths
2. The war was much longer than any other war
3. It was the first war that accurately counted casualties
4. Both sides in the war were Americans and therefore casualties

8. Two of the wars listed that the United States fought against England was

1. Mexican War and War of 1812
2. War of 1812 and the American Revolution
3. The American Revolution and the Cold War
4. The Revolutionary War and the Gulf War



9. The event depicted in the political cartoon is

1. When southerners travelled to Kansas to influence the popular sovereignty vote
2. When the Dred Scott case made the Missouri Compromise null and void
3. When republicans and republicans fought for the 1860 election
4. Neighbors needed to help each others against the Native-Americans

10. The man being "force fed" represents

1. A northerner who is against slavery
2. An abolitionist
3. A man who is against his neighbors
4. A homesteader from Kansas

Answer Key

1. 1

2. 3

3. 3

4. 3

5. 1

6. 3

7. 4

8. 2

9. 1

10. 4

