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American History

Chapter 12: Reconstruction to 1877

The following is an outline of the important information pertaining to the Reconstruction period. Fill in the appropriate answers below using your textbook.

This worksheet will be collected before the quiz.

“PRESIDENTIAL RECONSTRUCTION”

What was Lincoln’s plan?

Wade-Davis Bill of 1864 -

Why did Congressmen reject the newly elected representatives from the South after the Civil War?

What was Andrew Johnson’s plan?

What did Congress plan to do in 1866 with the Freedman’s Bureau?

What were black codes?

Describe Congress’s plans for Reconstruction.

What did the 14th Amendment do?

Why did southern states reject the 14th Amendment?

What did the Reconstruction Act of 1867 do?

What was “RADICAL RECONSTRUCTION”? (or Military Reconstruction)

Why did the House initiate impeachment proceedings against President Johnson?

Which group of voters helped Ulysses S. Grant win the presidency?

What did the 15th Amendment do?

What did freedmen do during Reconstruction?

What was the Freedmen's Bureau?

What was the greatest success of the Freedmen's Bureau?

What did Republican state governments do? What were they able to accomplish?

Who were carpetbaggers?

Who were scalawags?

How was the transformation from slavery to freedom for blacks in the South difficult?

Who was Hiram Revels?

How did freed African-Americans try to improve their lives?

What problems ensued with Sherman's "40 acres and a mule policy"?

Describe sharecroppers.

Describe tenant farmers.

Who were "White Redeemers"?

Why was the Ku Klux Klan and the White League founded?

What were the Force Acts of 1870 and 1871? (your book calls them "Enforcement Acts")

What was the Amnesty Act of 1872?

Problems in the Election of 1872...

Panic of 1873: Cause? Result?

1875 Specie Resumption Act...

Describe the Civil Rights Act of 1875.

Why were northerners willing to give up on Reconstruction?

What happened in the Election of 1876? What was the Compromise of 1877?

What is legacy of Reconstruction?