

TCI 22.6 – 22.9 Study Guide:

A Dividing Nation: Stowe & Bleeding Kansas, Dred Scott, Compromise to Crisis, Secession

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manifesto:

ruffian:

free-soilers

secede:

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Uncle Tom's Cabin

Ostend Manifesto:

Kansas-Nebraska Act

Charles Sumner:

Preston Brooks:

John Brown:

1. How did northerners and southerners react to *Uncle Tom's Cabin*?
2. Why were northerners angered by the Ostend Manifesto?
3. Who wanted to change the Kansas-Nebraska Act? What were the act's provisions?
4. For what reasons did settlers come to Kansas?
5. Bleeding Kansas is a period when pro- and anti-slavery settlers clashed over the issue of slavery. Describe the events occurring on and after May 21, 1856.

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6. What questions faced the Supreme Court in the Dred Scott case? Describe Scott's case.
7. What answers did the Supreme Court give to these questions?
8. Why did anti-slavery activists start the Republican Party? Who did they nominate for Senate in 1858? Who was his Democratic opponent?
9. What were the Lincoln-Douglas Debates of 1858? Why did they occur, and what was the outcome?
10. Describe the events that occurred at Harpers Ferry, Virginia, on October 16, 1859.
11. Who were the candidates in the presidential election of 1860, and what parties were they affiliated with? In what ways was Lincoln's victory unusual?
12. Was Abraham Lincoln interested in supporting a slavery compromise? Why/why not?
13. On December 20, 1860, which state was the first to secede? How did this secession occur?
14. Which other states seceded before the attack on Fort Sumter & when? (This is not in the book.)
15. When did Lincoln's inauguration take place?
16. What occurred at Fort Sumter on April 12, 1861?