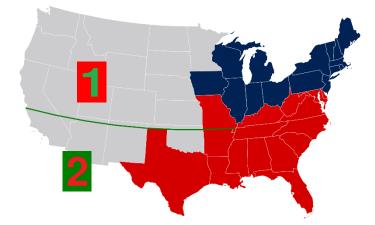
EVENTS LEADING TO THE CIVIL WAR

Directions: Use complete sentences when answering the prompts. You need to answer the

items in red font.

1820-Missouri Compromise

- In the Compromise, Missouri was admitted as a slave state.
- Maine was admitted as a free state.
- Slavery was prohibited in the area north of 36 ° 30'.



Look at the map. Identify if the areas (1 &2) are free or allow slavery.

1.

2.

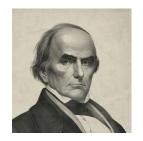
1846- Wilmot Proviso

I, Representative
Wilmot, propose to
Congress a law that
prohibits slavery in any
new territories we win
from the MexicanAmerican War!

I, Daniel Webster, a representative from the North think

I, John Calhoun, a Senator from the South think



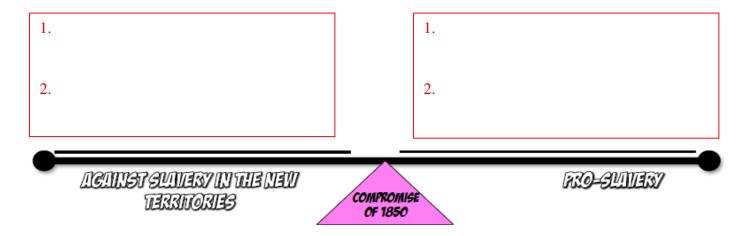




1850- Compromise of 1850

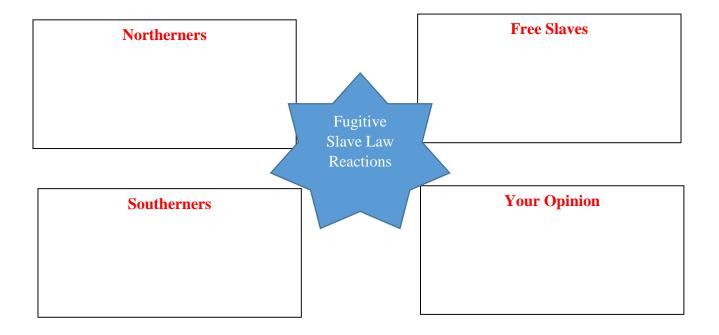
Show how balance was maintained in the Senate by placing (cut and paste) the following statements on the proper side of the balance scale.

- California was to be admitted as a free state.
- New Mexico and Utah territories would decide for themselves whether or not to allow slavery.
- A strong Fugitive Slave Law was enacted.
- The slave trade in the District of Columbia was abolished.



1850- Fugitive Slave Act (Part of Compromise of 1850)

Write the perspectives for the groups affected by this congressional act in the space provided. Add your perspective.



1852- Uncle Tom's Cabin

Explain Harriet Beecher Stowe's reasons for writing Uncle Tom's Cabin.



I wrote Uncle Tom's Cabin because

How did the North and South react to her emotional novel? Use evidence to support your claim.

1854- Response to the Kansas-Nebraska Act

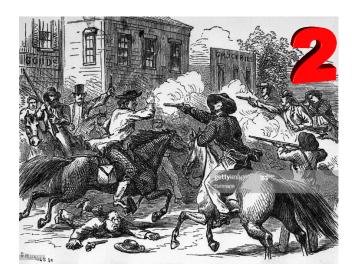
Fill in the missing words on the Title of the primary source political cartoon based on what you have learned about Bleeding Kansas. Explain how picture 1 led to pictures 2 and 3.



Title: Proslavery Citizens from ______ vote at Kickapoo in _____ Territory in 1855.

Artist: Albert D. Richardson, Beyond the Mississippi

Picture 1 led to pictures 2 and 3 because





1857- Dred Scott Decision

Pretend you are a Supreme Court judge who rules on the Dred Scott case. What was the reasoning behind your decision? Use an evidence excerpt from the notes/videos/DBQ to support your answer.

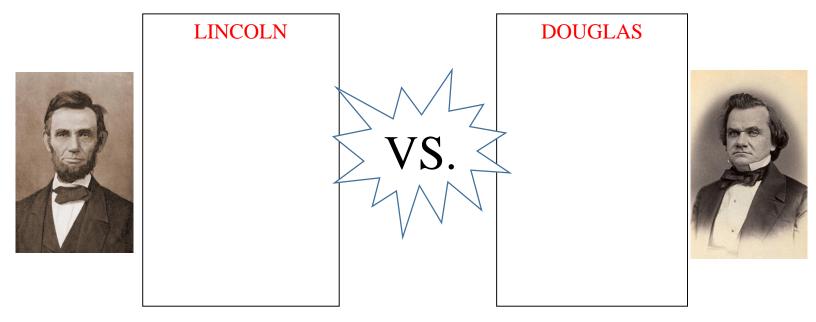


My decision is that

The following excerpt from the notes/videos/DBQ supports my judgement:

1858- The Lincoln-Douglas Debates

Outline the two opposing viewpoints below.



REFLECTION

Out of these 8 events leading to the Civil War, choose 3 events you think made the Southerners feel they had no choice but to secede from the Union.

EVENTS	REASON(S) WHY YOU CHOSE THIS EVENT
1	1.
2	2.
3	3.