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Chapter 16: The Strain of War – Section 4 (pages 498-505)

1. Define:

Entrench:

Siege:

2. What two skills helped Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson defeat the larger Union forces?

a.

b.

3. Battle of Fredericksburg – December 13, 1862

Why did General Robert E. Lee tell his soldiers to dig trenches on the hills south of town?

Which side won this battle?

What happened to General Ambrose Burnside?

4. Battle of Chancellorsville – May 1863

Explain the battle tactics that General Stonewall Jackson and General Robert E. Lee used to defeat General Joseph Hooker?

How did Stonewall Jackson die?

5. List the four Generals used to lead the North between March 1862 and July 1863.

6. African American's in the War

What fear did Confederate leaders have about using African American soldiers?

Why did President Lincoln resist appeals to enlist African Americans in the Union army?

Why did Lincoln change his mind about using African American soldiers and by the end of the war what percent of the Union army was African American?

In 1863, the assault on what fort brought fame to the 54th Massachusetts for their courage and sacrifice?

7. In the spring of 1863, which side had the upper hand in the war? What two countries were they hoping would join in on their side?

8. Battle of Gettysburg:

Date

Location:

North: How many soldiers? Commander?

South: How many soldiers? Commander?

Describe the battle: Major points of battle, leaders, outcome.

9. Siege of Vicksburg:

Date:

Location:

North: How many soldiers? Commander?

South: How many soldiers? Commander?

Describe the battle: Major points of battle, leaders, outcome.

10. The Gettysburg Address

What was the purpose of Lincoln's 2 minutes, 272 word speech?

Read the speech on page 504. According to Lincoln, why was the war being fought?